THE WEATHER
Forecast for Lowell and vicinity: Fair tonight and Thursday, light variable winds.

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FEARFUL LOSSES

Suffered by Japan in Storming Port Arthur

Loss Estimated at 20,000 Killed and Wounded—Port Arthur a Death Trap For Japanese—Japanese Warship Sunk

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 3 ,10.20 p .m.—The first report of the storming operations at Port Arthur has just been received from the consul of Russia at Chefoo, dated today. It says a general attack began Saturday with the Japanese in large force. There were two days of bombardment of unprecedented force. The Japanese casualties possibly reached 20,000 but the Russian losses were insignificant.

The council further reports the Russians have an abundance of ammunition. The telegram does not mention naval operations but it is considered possible that the Russian warships participated in shelling the besiegers from the sea.

The exact date of the events reported in this telegram is not clear as the method of transmission is not disclosed. It is possible that it was by a wireless message reporting events which have occurred since last Saturday. On the other hand, the message may have gone by junk to Chefoo, in which case it refers to events of a week ago and practically covers the reports mentioned in the Associated Press despatches from Chefoo. In either case the reports have been received with considerable joy after the pessimistic rumors spread abroad from foreign sources last week. It seems apparent that the Japanese advance against Gen. Kuropatkin was timed to occur simultaneously with the assault upon Port Arthur.

SOLDIERS DIED FROM SUNSTROKE

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 3.—General Kuropaktin's armies are now concentrating upon Liao Yang, falling back respectively upon Anshanshan, Liandiansian and Anping, as predicted in the despatches of the Associated Press.

These three points form a ring of closely knit defences around Liao Yang and enable General Kuropatkin to risk a general engagement. The only cause for anxiety is Anping, and General Kuropatkin's words that he hoped the troops would hold that place indicate a misgiving. The Japanese evidently realized the advantage of attacking this point and directed their strongest advance along the Saisazti-Liao Yang line.

A brief telegram from General Kuropatkin received this morning reports the evacuation of Haicheng and declares the Japanese did not continue the attack toward Liao Yang Aug. 2, adding that they evidently were unable to follow up their advantage of the previous day owing to the stubborn resistance of the Russians coupled with the tropical heat. The general says the soldiers threw away their overcoats and equipments and adds that everything possible was done to relieve them, but nevertheless there was a great number of deaths from sunstroke. He does not specify the casualties of the battle and makes no mention of the loss of guns.

JAPANESE CRUISER SENT TO BOTTOM

ROME, Aug. 3.—The Giornale D'Italia today published in an extra edition a despatch from Tokio announcing that the Japanese armored cruiser Kasagura (formerly the Argentine warship Rivardavia, and purchased by Italy) had been sunk. The announcement caused a great sensation here.

JAPANESE VICTORIOUS AFTER SHARP FIGHTING

TOKIO, Aug. 3.—10 a. m.—The Japanese defeated the Russians at Tomucheng (Simoucheng) and drove them toward Haicheng in a sharp fight which began last Saturday and ended on Sunday. The Russians left 1500 dead on the field and lost six guns.

The Russians occupied a range of high hills north of Tomucheng (Simoucheng) which were strongly defended with covered trenches, a fortress and covered emplacements, which consumed months in constructing. The Japanese seized a range of heights to the southward on Saturday. They began the attack at daylight on Sunday.

The Japanese left wing encountered severe opposition. The Russians were gradually reinforced and their artillery was increased to 21 guns. The Japanese, who were also reinforced, renewed the attack at 3 o'clock in the afternoon and drove the Russians northward. The Japanese right, exposed to a severe artillery fire was forced to halt. The Russians who were reinforced, assumed the offensive at 5.30 o'clock in the evening, but were repulsed with a heavy loss. The Russian artillery prevented the Japanese from pursuing and during the night the Russians withdrew toward Haicheng. The Japanese casualties were about four hundred.

General Kuroki has telegraphed that in the two days fighting at Yangtsuling and Yushulintzu, his losses were six officers killed 16 officers wounded, and nine hundred and fifty men killed and wounded.

HAICHENG EVACUATED BY THE RUSSIANS

LONDON, Aug. 3.—A despatch to the Central News from Haicheng, under date of Aug. 2, says that in consequence of the desperate fighting of the last few days and the Japanese turning movement, the Russians have been compelled to evacuate Haicheng and fall back on Anshanshan.

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Action Against Boston & Northern Road

An attachment was filed in the East Cambridge Court yesterday by Mary McGough against the Boston & Northern Street Railway Company for $20,000, in an action of tort.

Miss McGough claims that she was getting off a car on the corner of Main and Grove street, Melrose, on July 7, with due caution, and that the car started too soon and threw her rto the ground, whereby she was injured.

HO! FOR THE BEACH

UNITED IRISH LEAGUE MAKES FINAL ARRANGEMENTS.

The United Irish League held a brief session last night at the headquarters in Barristers' hall and heard final reports on the arrangements for the picnic Thursday.

The greatest anxiety was felt in regard to the weather but the following assurance from the weather bureau through the Associated Press gave great satisfaction.

"Boston and vicinity—Wednesday showers, Thursday fair and warmer."

Patrick Connolly had returned from Revere with about $100 worth of free tickets for the beach shows to be distributed to ticket-holders on the cars. Each of the twelve leading shows contributed from 75 to 100 tickets each. This courtesy was extended last year, but has been given this year to no organization but the United Irish League in its "Ho! for the Beach" picnic. The program of the day is: Leave Merrimack square 7 a. m., on reaching State bathhouse at 9; march in a body to Scenic railway to serenade the manager, Mr. Pelton, next bathing, at 12.30 dinner at Hotel Pleasanton where the American and Irish flags will be displayed in honor of the picnickers. The afternoon will be given to using up the show tickets on all the leading shows along the beach. The cars will leave for home at 7 o'clock and arrive in Lowell soon after 9 o'clock.

After the meeting the members took cars for Anderson street where an enjoyable lawn party was held at the home of Mrs. Livesy.

NOTICE.

To prevent delay Thursday morning parties should get their tickets at Murphy's, 18 Appleton street, before 9 p. m. tonight.

CONSULS WARNED

ADVISED TO HAVE GUARD WITH THEM.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 3.—The Porte has warned the embassies and legations to instruct their consuls in Macedonia not to leave the towns without escorts as the Macedonia revolutionists in Bulgaria are planning to kidnap or murder a consul with the view of enlisting foreign intervention.

CROSS BILL

FILED BY THE PENNSYLVANIA COMPANY.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 3.—A cross bill to the suit against the Western Union Telegraph company has been filed in the United States circuit court by the Pennsylvania company. The bill asks the court for a perpetual injunction against the defendant company to restrain it from using any portion of telegraph lines along the line of the Cleveland & Pittsburg railroad, claiming the defendant company has no right to the use of the poles or wires as all agreements and contracts made between the companies are now void.

A partition of the property or the sale of the telegraph lines is also asked.

FUNERALS

WEBSTER—The funeral of Sally B Webster took place yesterday afternoon from the residence of Mr. Franklin P. Fox, Marsh Hill, Dracut, and the services were conducted by Rev. F. L. Kelley, pastor of the Dracut Congregational church. The bearers were Messrs. F. P. Fox, H. and G. Webster and Guy Lewis. Undertaker Young had charge of the arrangements, and burial was in the cemetery at Pelham Centre.

MORRIS—The funeral of Charles E. Morris took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents in Billerica Centre, and the services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Evans. Burial was in the Corner cemetery, Undertaker Young in charge.

BUTLER—The funeral of Thomas Leo Butler was held yesterday afternoon at the home of his parents, John and Ada, 1382 Middlesex street. The service was largely attended and there were profuse floral offerings. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements were under the direction of Undertaker Molloy.

LEIGHTON—The funeral of Blanche Leighton was held yesterday afternoon at the home of her parents, 37 Sawtelle place. Burial was in the Edson cemetery, under the direction of Undertaker Savage.

DEATHS

JOY—Noah T. Joy, a former resident of Lowell, died Sunday at the Bertram Home for Aged Men at Salem, Mass. Mr. Joy will be remembered by many old residents as a member and prompter of Brooks, Owens and Davis' orchestra. His age was 72 years. He was a member of the G. A. R. post of Salem, who attended his funeral service at Salem, Tuesday morning; also a member of Wamesit lodge, No. 25, Knights of Pythias of this city. He leaves one brother in Fitchburg, one sister in Roxbury and a son, Walter, of Springfield, Vermont.

The burial was at Woodlawn cemetery, Nashua, yesterday afternoon, and was in charge of a delegation from Wamesit lodge, K. of P.

Miss Lena Donaldson, of the A. G. Pollard Co. store, has returned from Winthrop where she spent her vacation.

McMANUS PICNIC

CHILDREN WAITING IN THE SQUARE FOR CARS TO EMBARK FOR THE McMANUS PICNIC.

4000 Boys and Girls Enjoyed the Outing

Somewhere in the vicinity of 4000 of the poor children of Lowell frolicked at Mountain Rock today, and John McManus, the poor man's friend and strenuous tax collector, is their hero.

The little ones whose comforts are few have been living for weeks and months on the anticipation of what this day would bring forth. McManus' picnic was discussed every day and the realization of it was all that the boys and girls had dreamed of.

Thirty-three cars, large ones too, loaded to the "muzzle" with shouting children, left Merrimack square between 9 and 9.15 o'clock this morning and the words, "What's the matter with McManus? He's all right," were shouted in every street, and the racket made the poor man's friend feel happy.

Of course there was a great deal of disorder in and about the square. The boys and girls began to arrive as early as 6.30 o'clock and enough had assembled at 7.30 to start the "hurrah" for John McManus. At 8 o'clock the square and Bridge and Page streets were packed with boys who pushed, jumped, scrambled and wrestled for seats in teh cars. Mr. McManus was there with his whip and he was a power with the boys. Lieutenant Webster and Officers Ryan and Lane did their level best to check the pent up enthusiasm of the happy children and they did succeed, with the splendid assistance of the starters, in loading the 4000 boys and girls for whom Constable John McManus has been working for weeks and weeks in order that they might enjoy the pleasures of an outing at Mountain Rock.

The boys and girls carried fans and flags and once aboard the cars the shouting and waving of flags was resumed. Mayor Hoe and Superintendent Moffatt were on hand and were recognized by a number of the boys who wanted to know what was the matter with the mayor and the superintendent and the chorus of youthful and penetrating voices sent back the answer, "They're all right".

"What's the matter with Tom Sayers?" shouted a small boy sandwiched in on a rear seat and again the chorus of voices answered, "He's all right". The scene in the square this morning brought back many tender recollections to the minds of the older ones and some of them joined in the joyous shout of the irrepressible "kids." It was the kind of a scene that makes a fellow forget for a time at least, that he is old or growing old; the sort of scene that makes an old man try and persuade himself that he is not old, that his locks are not yet gray. As the cars came along the rush for each recalled the rush of the Japanese soldiers upon some Russian redoubt—in a general swarm.

The last car left the square at about 9.15 o'clock and men and women waved their handkerchiefs in response to the tireless waving of flags and fans by the boys and girls. There were no quiet moments on the way to Mountain Rock. They hollered at everything and everybody and the man busy in the field, leaned on his hoe and watched the long line of cars filled with the essence of youth and fun. There were some clever little singers in the lot and whenever the opportunity presented itself they would insert John McManus' name, making him the hero of their verse.

JOHN McMANUS.

Arriving at Mountain rock the boys and girls proceeded to make that somewhat lonely spot the gayest of them all and they succeeded. The woods thereabout rang with the echoes of the merry voices and the birds flew higher in the trees alarmed at the sudden and very radical change that had taken place in their eden. The scene at the rock was one of wild and careless play. While those in charge were arranging for the sports hundreds of the boys were on the swings and utilizing every facility for amusement available, and the third annual picnic for the poor children of Lowell, organized by Constable John McManus, was at its height.

The sports, in charge of Cornelius Desmond, were attended by all the enthusiasm that goes with a crowd of lively boys who compete for prizes. The face of the boy that was wreathed in smiles on the way to the grounds was set and determined when he entered the sports and competed for prizes. The element that makes good soldiers and citizens was then apparent and the little fellows exerted themselves to their utmost to win. Of course there was the unavoidable dispute that was nipped in the bud by the managers of the sports and others who were there for the purpose of keeping order, such order as was possible under the circumstances. On the whole, however, the sports, despite the individual determination to win, were run off in a friendly way, and when dinner was announced there was an upheaval such as Mountain Rock had never before witnessed.

The appetite of the urchin asserted itself and the raid made on the tables was "a picture no artist could paint." Ham sandwiches, coffee and pies disappeared like straws in a wind storm. If they didn't all go by the same route it wasn't because they didn't start together. Pieces of ham were sandwiched in between the crusts of pies from which the contents had disappeared and knives and forks were thrown aside while fingers, not over clean, did the transfer act from the table to the hungry mouths. It was a demonstration of the kind of appetite that made mother's pie taste so good and there were boys who were "too full for utterance" when dinner was over while some there were who as usual were crowded to the rear and got none of the good things provided.

LATEST

NANCE O'NEIL

Country Seat of Famous Actress Sold Out

Under Mortgage For $7500 Held by John Pilling Unknown to Miss O'Neil at Time of Sale

The Brindley estate in Tyngsboro which was purchased by Nance O'Neil, the well known actress, several months ago, was sold at a mortgagee's sale by Auctioneer Bruce yesterday afternoon, the sale having been instituted at the request of John Pilling who held a first mortgage of $7500 on the property. Proceedings have been instituted against the legality of the foreclosure and mortgagee's sale and it may be brought to court.

Several months ago Miss O'Neil purchased the property for a sum which was never made public and it was not known by the buyer that a mortgage of $7,500 was held by John Pilling and the Shepard & Fuller agency through which the property was sold informed a representative of The Sun this morning that they knew nothing of the mortgage held by Mr. Pilling. The representative of the real estate agency said that there were three mortgages on the property, a first mortgage amounting to $7500 held by John Pilling, another of $2500 held by a Mrs. Sanborn of Lawrence and another of $1000 held by a broker in New York. Owing to the fact that Mr. Pilling never made any demand for the interest on the mortgage which he held, and that the announcement of the sale by foreclosure was advertised in Somerville papers only they thought that it was a rather strange way of transacting business.

The deed of the property has not been passed as yet, the title being in the hands of the United States receiver at New York.

The property was knocked down for $7500 to J. Fred Hazeltine of Boston, the price paid being subject to taxes.

It is plain that the famous actress is not versed in real estate transactions or else she would have had a lawyer look up the title to the estate. The mortgagees have the prior right to the property. It is difficult to tell just at present who is the rightful owner and how many claims are held against the estate.

IN POLICE COURT

Offenders Disposed of in Brief Session

Twelve men occupied the dock in police court this morning while one woman was seated on the settee outside the rail. All excepting two of the unlucky number were in for drunkenness and Judge Pickman, who occupied the bench disposed of the offenders in quick order, twelve minutes being consumed in the disposition of the various cases.

Peter E. Riley and Thomas F. Lynch were charged with evading car fare, and both men pleaded guilty. The conductor on the train of the Boston & Maine railroad which leaves the Middlesex street station at 10.32 testified that both men jumped on the front of a baggage car after the train had started and that at Tyngsboro they refused to pay their fare. They were fined $15 each.

Frank Treadwell of Tewksbury drove a handsome and spirited horse and a wagon that was ready to collapse through Nesmith street last evening, but he was so intoxicated that Sergt. Crowley thought he would be safer in the police station for the night. After getting Treadwell to the station in safety he drove the rig to Keefe's stable. This morning in court Treadwell with another man was released.

Thomas Lindsey was a second offender, having been before the court on the 23d of May and fined $5. He was allowed to go on the payment of a $6 fine. Richard Hurley was also a second offender, having been before the court on the 27th of May. He also drew a $6 fine. Louis Lachance was in the day before yesterday on a charge of drunkenness and was before the court again this morning, but the court allowed him to go on the payment of $6.

Seven first offenders drew $2 fines.

NOT IDENTIFIED

Drowned Man May be Robert Blackwood

The body of the man who was drowned in the Merrimack river, and whose body was found last Friday morning, and who was buried in the Edson cemetery Monday afternoon by Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons, may be that of Robert Blackwood of 98 Newbury street Lawrence who has been missing from his home since a week ago today.

William Hunnehar of 47 Summer street, that city, thinks that the body is that of Blackwood, and says that he can identify the body by the clothes which the dead man wore. He is expected to arrive in this city this afternoon and try to identify the clothing.

DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.

BILLINGHAM, Wash., Aug. 3.—The democratic state convention adjourned last night after nominating the following ticket: Governor, Ex-Senator George Turner, Spokane; lieut. governor, Stephen Judson; treasurer, Geo. Mudget; auditor, R. L. Purding; land commissioner, Van R. Pierson; superintendent of public instruction, W. D. Gerard; secretary of state, Patrick Hough; supreme judge, Alfred Battle; attorney general, C. H. Neal; congressmen, Howard Pathway, W. T. Breck and J. Anderson.

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FAY'S NEW MOVE

Starts Report That He is "Ducking"

On Question of Legality of the Labor Day Order—Will Not Apply For Injunction Today

Peter A. Fay, who recently threatened injunction proceedings against the payment of the money voted for the celebration of Labor Day, by his action in the matter has convinced many about city hall that, in the vernacular, he is "ducking" or beginning to hedge on his own proposition. This however, may be an injustice to the lawyer, for, as great bodies move slowly, he may be only playing for more time in which to acquaint himself with certain facts and law before proceeding into court.

On Friday, Mr. Fay went to the city clerk and wanted official copies of all the papers bearing reference to the Labor Day appropriation stating that he intended to bring the matter to court at once and get an injunction to restrain the city treasurer from paying out any of the money so voted.

The city clerk went to work at once and made copies and waited around all day Saturday for Mr. Fay to show up for his official copies, which by the way, cost $2. Mr. Fay did not put in an appearance, but this morning his typewriter did and instead of calling for the official copies stated that she had been sent by Mr. Fay to make her own copies of the papers. The papers were produced and the typewriter spent a couple of hours copying them after which she returned with them to Mr. Fay.

This has led some to conclude that Mr. Fay has no intention of proceeding to court immediately for the copies taken by his typewriter, be they ever so accurate would not be accepted by any court where only official documents and official copies can go, and before he can ask for injunction proceedings he must procure the proper copies. This action gave rise to the report at city hall that Mr. Fay was "ducking," but the copies were made in order to give him an opportunity to study up his case more closely before making any radical move.

Mayor Howe was at his office bright and early this morning and when a reporter of The Sun called there His Honor in his shirt sleeves was busily going over his morning's work while Sec. Cheney was busily perusing a copy of the statutes pertaining to "Cities."

When asked for a statement in regard to the injunction matter and the special meeting Mayor Howe said: "I know nothing about them except what I read in the papers. I want to wait now until the thing has been decided before I say or do anything. I think that I have done all that was required of me. The legality of it is for somebody else to decide.

"I don't think I should have called a special meeting of the government to act on such a matter.

"In cases of emergency I think it is proper for the acting mayor to act. I have known chairmen of the board of aldermen who did not so much as go near the mayor's office while that official was away.

"I don't think that the business before that special session of the government Thursday evening last was of enough importance to have warranted the calling of a special meeting."

I guess everyone would have lived along a few days longer all right, even if a special meeting had not been called.".

TROLLEY ACCIDENT

Two of the Victims Were From Lowell

Mrs. Arthur Whitney and Miss Lydia Lock who were on their way from Lowell to Springfield were among the victims in the trolley accident on the Boston & Worcester street railway near Westboro, yesterday and the doctors are not holding out any hope for Miss Lock's recovery.

Mrs. Whitney and Miss Lock came to Lowell, Friday, to bury their mother, Mrs. William Lock, who died in Springfield. Mrs. Lock was buried in the Edson cemetery. She used to live in Lowell.

Miss Lock and her sister Mrs. Whitney visited with their cousin Mrs. Z W Sturtevant, 94 Fort Hill avenue, while in Lowell and they left here Monday morning. They did not intend to go to Worcester by way of the electric road but the humidity was so great and the heat so intense when they arrived in Boston that they decided it would be more comfortable to go by trolley. Both women are well known in Lowell and great sympathy is felt for them.

SON RETURNED

After an Absence of Thirty-Seven Years

Thursday afternoon there came to the pretty little town of Westford a well dressed, prosperous looking man of middle age. He wandered up and down before a little vacant cottage house showing the flight of time. He stopped and gazed at the windows long and earnestly.

Thirty-seven years ago to a day, a 10-year-ld boy had run out of the door of that cottage, screaming back to his father that he would never step his foot in that yard again.

The man was Louis Defoe, a brother of Joseph Defoe of this city.

The vow taken by the little boy was kept for all this time, now it has been broken ,for inquiries by the stranger in Westford enabled him to meet his relatives, and the long space of time has been bridged as if it were a day.

Louis Defoe is at the present time the leading wholesale and retail provision dealer of Moorehead, Minnesota. He has prospered. His trip back east was to find his family, and having found them all are assured that this link in the family circle will be as one of the brightest.

He left for the west today, being called back thus early by urgent business, but it will not be long before he takes another trip here and for a longer visit. The reunion was heart touching. A nephew had carried word to the father and when they and the brothers and sisters met the scene was almost equal to a similar one in a story book.

Among the things which Mr. Defoe took with him to his Western home were several photographs of his babyhood home, and one especially touching is that of the room in which his mother passed away years ago.

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DEATHS

ALLEN—Henry Allen of 12 Columbus avenue, received the sad intelligence yesterday of the death of his father, which occurred on the 21st of July at his residence, Thornton avenue, Streatham hill, London. He was the son of the late John Allen of Pagleshaw house, Pagleshaw, and was 67 years of age. He had been ailing for some time but had greatly improved when last he wrote, a fortnight since, to his son in Lowell. His death was due to syncope, and was without any warning to his family. He leaves four sons and two daughters to mourn his loss.

FORD—Patrick Ford, aged 66 years, died yesterday at his home, 19 Tyler street. He leaves five sons, James, Michael, John, Patrick and Frank, also one daughter, Miss Mary Ford.

BOUTILLIER—Word was received in this city today of the death of Mrs. E. M., wife of A. R. Boutillier, at Versailles, Conn., yesterday, after a week's illness.

CLANCY—Alice Clancy, infant daughter of John F. and Ellen, died this morning at the home of her parents, 9 rear of 259 Worthen street.

TEAGUE—James P. Teague, aged 6 months twin son of Thomas and Margaret Teague, died this morning at the home of his parents, 23 Elmwood avenue.

CONWAY Edward Conway, aged 18 years, died yesterday at his home, 29 Ash street after an illness of four months. The deceased is survived by his parents, two brothers and two sisters.

FUNERALS

SANDERSON—The funeral of William Sanderson took place yesterday afternoon at his home, 26 Bleachery street, and the services were conducted by Rev. E. Victor Bigelow. Undertaker Young had charge of the arrangements and the bearers were Messrs. Charles Miller, John Perry, William Curtis, Geo. Monroe, John Grillis and Alfred Pearson. Burial was in the Edson cemetery.

HOFFMAN—The funeral of Charles H. Hoffman, the air ship inventor, who was drowned in the Concord river at Bedford on Tuesday during a thunder shower, was held Sunday from his home, 45 Newbury street, West Somerville, Rev. Edward Tillotson officiating. He also conducted interment services at Woodbrook cemetery, Woburn.

FITZPATRICK—The funeral of the late James Fitzpatrick took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from his late home, 16 Albion street, and was largely attended by relatives and friends of the deceased. A high mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Michael's church at 9 o'clock by Rev. Fr. Murphy. The choir was in attendance and sang the Gregorian mass and during the service appropriate selections were rendered by the members of the choir. There was a profusion of beautiful and appropriate floral offerings in evidence, showing the esteem in which the deceased was held by his many friends and acquaintances.

The bearers were Messrs. John H. Burke, Rhoddy Monohan, John Murphy and John McCausland. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Murphy. The funeral was under the direction of Funeral Director John F. Rogers.

ASHWORTH—The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Ashworth was held yesterday afternoon at her home, and the service was conducted by Rev. Ralph Gilliam, pastor of the First Congregational church. Miss Alice Leith was the singer. Burial was in the Lowell cemetery. Funeral arrangements under the direction of Undertaker Weinbeck.

NEILIGAN—The funeral of Ellen M. Neiligan took place yesterday afternoon from the residence of her parents, William and Catherine Neiligan, 163 Crosby street, and was largely attended. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery. Funeral Directors John J. O'Connell & Co. had charge of the arrangements.

HIS EYE INJURED

BEAVER BROOK MILL OPERATIVE SUFFERED PAINFUL INJURY.

John Smith of Collinsville was badly injured while at work in the Beaver Brook mills today. Caustic exploded and a portion of it found its way to his left eye. He was taken to the Emergency hospital and the doctors there say it will be several days before they will be able to tell how seriously the eye is injured.

BOY CUT HIS FOOT.

James McLaughlin, 14 years old, had his right foot cut on a piece of glass while playing in the street near his home, 27 Washington street, this afternoon. The cut was an inch and a half long and it required three stitches to close it. He was treated at the Emergency hospital.

HORSE RAN AWAY

BIT BROKE AND THE CARRIAGE DEMOLISHED.

A horse belonging to Mr. A. C. Wheelock ran away in Bridge street this forenoon and smashed the carriage to which he was attached into smithereens. The horse was being driven by Mr. Wheelock's foreman. The bit broke and the horse started. The foreman and another man who was riding with him were thrown from the carriage. The foreman escaped injury but the other man had his lip badly cut.

LOTS OF VACATIONISTS.

These are busy days for the handlers of baggage. August passenger traffic is on with a rush and typical holiday scenes are being enacted almost every hour at the Middlesex street station. Smartly dressed crowds loaded down with all sorts of hand baggage, golf outfits, umbrellas, etc., await the trains and then are swallowed up in the sweltering loads of limp collared humanity that are packed as close as the baggage on ahead.

And the baggage trucks mountain high, baggage cars stuffed till they almost bulge, baggage men sweating, pulling, lifting and wondering if they will ever have a breathing spell. Judging from the appearance of some of the summer pilgrims they wonder if their fortnight in the mountains will be worth the discomfort they have to endure to get there.

FOUND DEAD IN BED.

John F. McAllister, who was spending his vacation with friends in North Billerica was found dead in bed this morning. McAllister was a South Boston business man and his death, the doctor said, was due to heart failure.

RURAL CARRIERS

WILL RECEIVE $720 PER ANNUM.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—In the adjustment of the salaries of rural carriers in the postal service it has been decided that all carriers appointed prior to June 30, 1904, who were entitle to the maximum pay of $600 under the rules which governed the establishment of routes at that time, shall receive the maximum pay of $720, but that the schedule which became effective July 1, 1904, and recently announced, shall prevail in fixing the compensation of all carriers appointed since June 30.

DISTRIBUTION OF AID

MAKES TROUBLE FOR MANAGERS OF CHICAGO STRIKE.

CHICAGO, Aug. 2.—One of the serious questions which confronts the managers of he packing house strike is the separation of the worthy from the unworthy, in the distribution of food supplies. It is claimed that most of the supplies so far given out have been secured by persons who have money for their own support while many families in actual want have been unable to secure anything. Favoritism in the distribution has also been charged.

Lack of food and proper nourishment among the poorer classes compelled to leave their work on account of the strike has caused much illness and at the dispensary of the University of Chicago settlement, it is reported that 1000 cases, mostly children, had been treated within the last four days.

MRS. MILES DEAD

SHE PASSED AWAY AT WEST POINT.

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—A despatch from West Point announces that Mrs. Nelson A. Miles died suddenly last night. General Miles was not present at the time of her death. He arrived at West Point today.

SCHOONER GROUNDED.

MACHIAS, Me., Aug. 2.—The schooner Mary Lee Newton, laden with coal from New York for Lubec, her home port, grounded on Cross island near the outer shore during the night and was floated at high tide with the assistance of the life saving crew. The damage was slight.

CHICAGO STRIKE

Greeks Persuaded Not to Work

100 NEGRO AND ITALIAN RECRUITS ARRIVE

Large Receipts of Livestock Today

CHICAGO, Aug. 2.—Duffculty was experienced today by the packers' employment agents in bringing new men into the stock yards. In one case 12 Greeks who have come from Milwaukee failed to reach their destination. They were captured while en route through Chicago by a crowd of strike pickets.

The Greeks were taken to union headquarters and discouraged from working. The packers had better success with a special train bearing 145 men and women, chiefly negroes and Italians These were switched directly into the stock yards and unloaded at the doors of the various packing houses. A short time previous 100 hands quit or were discharged for incompetency. The receipts of live stock today were much better than yesterday, consisting of 3000 cattle, 16,000 hogs and 14,000 sheep.

Two new commissary stores, making four altogether, were opened by the strikers today. Crowds surrounded both places securing an apportionment of food.

In view of wrong statements leading to a belief that the live stock handlers union ordered its members to return to work in the stock yards in violation of orders of meat cutters' and butchers' union, the live stock handlers' union has adopted a resolution advising the public "that our return to work was due to explicit instructions from President Donnelly and his associates; and that should the officers of the Amalgamated meat cutters and butcher workmen of North America deem it wise to again order us to participate in the strike, we hold ourselves in readiness to respond to the call."

The packers today appealed for police protection for their distributing plants, the union pickets having turned back all the retail butchers, with wagons after supplies of meat. Police were despatched to prevent further interference with the retailers. The first eviction resulting from the stock yards strike was made today. A crowd of strike sympathizers stoned two constables who put Mrs. Mary Anderson out of her home in Forty-fourth street for non-payment of rent. Mrs. Anderson's husband, a striker, had left Chicago in search of work. The wife was ill in bed when she and her household goods were carried out by constables. Mrs. Anderson was cared for by neighbors. Before the arrival of the police the crowd had wrecked the cottage from which two men had been evicted.

FEDERAL COURT

ORDERED THAT PICKETS BE WITHDRAWN.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Aug. 2. M. Donnelly, president of the Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butcher Workers of America, addressed the striking packing house employees today. Donnelly said the strikers would win their battle and they were becoming stronger all the time.

In obedience to the federal court the strikers have withdrawn all pickets and non-union men enter the plants here at will. Donnelly will go to Kansas City tonight.

WESTERN UNION

DENIES THAT RACING NEWS WAS GIVEN OUT.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Aug. 2.—At the office of the Western Union Telegraph company it was officially denied today that the company had furnished the racing news to the big pool room at Manayunk, Pa., which was raided last Saturday by the law and order society. The following statement was made: "The Western Union company has discontinued its racing service absolutely. It has dispensed with its racing reporters and has withdrawn its operators. There is only this to be said, on our part, regarding the pool room affair at Manayunk: It was not our service, our wires, nor our men that furnished the reports."

TO END RAIL WAR.

LONDON, Aug. 2 The board of trade confirms the report that arrangements are under way for a meeting of the representatives of the steam lines at Hamburg, early in September to resume the negotiations looking to a settlement of the Atlantic rate war. While it is hoped that the negotiations will effect an agreement it is pointed out that recent combination of the Hamburg-American North German Lloyd and Austro-American lines in order to break the Cunard lines monopoly of the Hungarian immigrant traffic has considerably lessened the prospect of a settlement.

FOLSOM TURNED DOWN.

CONCORD, N. H., Aug. 2—At a meeting of the governor and council today, Governor Bachelder nominated Channing Folsom of Dover, to succeed himself as superintendent of public instruction. The council refused to confirm, Councillors Seavy and Richards voting in the affirmative and Councillors Kennett, Kaley and Collins in the negative.

Mrs. Lillian C. Streeter, of this city, was reappointed a member of the state board of charities and correction.

CRUSHED BY CAR

South Boston Boy Was Killed Instantly

BOSTON, Aug. 2—Struck by the fender of an outward bound electric car on West Broadway, South Boston, about 4.15 yesterday afternoon, 11-year-old Thomas Brady, son of Thomas J. Brady of 349 West 4th st. was thrown under the car between the forward and rear trucks and instantly killed. A broken neck was the cause of death, the wheels not having passed over his body.

The boy was crossing the street near the home of Councilman William Newton, 150 B, West Broadway, to get a piece of ice out of a cart. In avoiding one car he ran directly in front of another of the Dover and Washington street line on its way to City Point.

Motorman William J. Hassan quickly reversed the power, but it was too late and the fender struck the boy, throwing him sideways.

Thme witnesses of the accident all tell a similar story, each one certain that he did not go under the forward wheels, but fell between the forward and rear trucks. The car was slowing down, but the rear wheel did not pass over his head as would be supposed. Aided by the rear truck his body rolled over and over until the car was brought to a stop.

Although the head was free, just touching the wheel, the body seemed to be wedged underneath the truck. Half a hundred willing hands took hold of the car sufficiently to move it so that the boy could be taken out.

The accident occurred almost in front of the office of Dr. Herbert J. Keenan and the lad was immediately brought in there, although there seemed to be little doubt that the boy's neck, several ribs and right arm had been broken and the head cut.

Dr. Keenan pronounced the lad dead.

TRAIN DERAILED

Cause of Accident Not Known

NORWICH, Conn., Aug. 2.—Inspection today of the section of track near the Norwich town station on which the Central Vt. railroad train was derailed yesterday afternoon failed to show conclusively the cause of the accident. The theory held to by railroad men is that the tracks spread, derailing the engine which in turn pulled the coaches off the iron. Derailment may have been assisted by loose gravel on the iron as trackmen had been working on the road bed. Fireman Pauquette says that after leaving the street crossing just above the station and at which point Engineer Alger had begun to shut off steam, he felt something jump under the engine as if there had been a break. The cause of this jump may have been a broken flange but this cannot be determined until the locomotive is carefully examined. The condition of all the injured this morning was satisfactory. The line was blocked for many hours but is clear today.

FINED $2000

SECRET SERVICE AGENT ALSO SENT TO JAIL.

WILMINGTON, Del., Aug. 2.—Former secret service agent Peeke, who was convicted of conspiracy in connection with the arrest of Italians for naturalization frauds, was today sentenced by Judge Bradford, in the United States district court here to five years imprisonment and to pay a fine of $3000.

BATTLESHIP OHIO

MADE 17.56 KNOTS PER HOUR IN SPEED TEST.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—Rear Admiral Whiting, who represented the government aboard the battleship Ohio, which was given her first speed trial in Santa Barbara channel yesterday, reported to the navy department by telegraph today that the uncorrected figures for the Ohio's trip showed an average speed of 17.56 knots per hour. These figures are subject to change on account of tidal allowances. Under the terms of the contract the Ohio is to make 18 knots an hour. The penalty for falling below the speed is at the rate of $25,000 per quarter knot for the first half knot under 18.

JUDGE WHEELER

CONTINUES RESTRAINING ORDER AGAINST STONINGTON BANK.

NEW LONDON, Conn., Aug. 2.—At a hearing in Chambers before Judge Ralph Wheeler of the superior court this forenoon, a continuation of the order restraining the Stonington Savings bank from placing out money to its depositors was granted. The order is for five months from August 3, and provides that deposits may receive 15 percent. of their deposits on September 15 and 15 per cent. on November 15. Judge Wheeler intimated that the bank should have its affairs entirely wound up by July 1, 1905. The liquidation will be through the present officers of the bank and no receiver will be appointed.

COUNSEL PELLO DEAD.

NORWICH, N. Y., Aug. 2.—Word was received here today of the death at Barranquilla, Colombia, of E. Porter Pello, who went from Norwich to the above place in 1866 as U. S. counsel. Mr. Pello was 70 years of age and a veteran of the Civil war.

Mrs. Hernice McDaniel, Miss Clara Wormell and Mrs. Annie M. Travor are at South Lubec, Me.

JUDGE WAS VEXED

Because of Deceit Practiced in His Court

"I will have no more of this. I know the tricks that these people try to play and I will put a stop to them right here and now. They must not think that they can run things in this court to suit themselves." 'Twas Judge Hadley who spoke and he was exasperated because of an attempt on the part of the defendants in a Lithuanian assault case to make the court believe they could not understand Mr. Stein, the interpreter. Mr. Stein knew them all, very well, and had talked with them many times. They had their own interpreter, however, and they wanted to use him.

Judge Hadley cried a halt while the case was yet in its infancy and ordered the officers to get a new interpreter. "I am sure they can understand Mr. Stein," said the court, "but at any rate they will not use the interpreter that came with them to this court. He is interested in the case and I will not have him."

William Stanis is the complainant in the case and he alleges that Martin Wedlihka stabbed him in the back of the head, with a knife at 72 Davidson street, Saturday evening.

The officers were unable to procure another interpreter this forenoon and the case went over to 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Hearing of the case was resumed at 2 o'clock and after two witnesses for the defense had been heard Judge Hadley called it all off and sent for the clerk to make record of the fact that the defendant had been discharged. "I will not hear any more of this drunken Jambaree story. The time of the court is too valuable to be lost in hearing such a case as this. Witnesses in such cases will swear there was no beer on the premises when there were barrels upon barrels of it there. I will discharge the defendant in this case and there will be no cost to the Commonwealth except to pay Mr. Stein for interpreting."

The patience of the court is sorely tried in the trials of such cases. The majority of cases where foreigners are involved are all hard enough to unravel but the Lithuanian cases are worst of all. It is almost impossible to get at the truth and the story told when application is made for the warrant looks like another story entirely when the case goes to trial.

AN INJUNCTION

AGAINST MEMBERS OF ELECTRICAL WORKERS' UNION.

HARTFORD, Conn., Aug. 2.—An injunction against 17 members of the local union of electrical workers has been issued by Judge Case of the superior court on the application of the Rice & Baldwin Electric company of this city. The complaint declares that the defendants have conspired to injure the business of the plaintiff company by threats, intimidation and boycott and the injunction orders them to refrain from further acts of the nature alleged. A hearing on the matter will be held Sept. 6.

This action is an outcome of the strike of the local electrical workers union last December, resulting from the company's refusal to sign a new schedule presented by the men.

KILLED HERSELF

Woman Jumped From Window of Hospital

NEW YORK, Aug. 2—A woman whose name is believed to be Mrs. Gussie Fass killed herself today by jumping from the fifth floor of Mount Sinai hospital. Beyond the statement that the body was found in the court yard by a watchman no information regarding the case was given out at the hospital which is a private institution. The woman's identity was suppressed by the authorities.

SENATOR DAVIS

WILL HANDLE STATE CONVENTION IN VIRGINIA.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., Aug. 2—The democratic state convention meets here tomorrow for the nomination of a state ticket. The preliminary hearings as well as conferences were held today and they indicate that former senator Henry G. Davis will be the guiding spirit.

Previous to his nomination at St. Louis for the vice presidency, it was said that Davis would be the candidate for governor in the unusual contest that the party expects to make this year to carry West Virginia. All deference is shown now to Senator Davis who is here with his friends giving personal attention to the convention. C. Wood Daily, the attorney of the Davis interests at Elkin, W. Va., and Wm. H. Thompson of Huntington are both mentioned as Davis men for governor. The convention is being made a general ratification of the nomination of Senator Davis for the vice presidency.

"ROYAL TOURIST"

FIRST OF THE AUTOS TO CLEVELAND.

CLEVELAND, O., Aug. 2.—The eighteen horsepower gasolene car "Royal Tourist" was the first of the automobiles making a run from New York to St. Lewis, to arrive here from Erie today. The "Royal Tourist" came in at 6.10 a. m., having made the run from Erie in six hours and ten minutes. Other cars arrived at short intervals throughout the morning.

The roads between here and Erie were reported to be in fine condition. The visitors devoted their time here in visiting various points of interest. This evening they will be entertined at a banquet by the Cleveland Automobile club.

TWO WEEKS' SHUT DOWN.

ST. STEPHENS, N. B., Aug. 2.—The St. Croix cotton mills in Milltown are closed for two weeks on account of the unfavorable market conditions. The plant had been running on a short time schedule part of the spring and early summer.

35 PER CENT. DIVIDEND.

BOSTON, Aug. 2.—A dividend of 35 per cent. to depositors of the Union Trust company was authorized by the supreme court to be paid at once by the receivers. Congressman Samuel McCall and Chas. F. Choate, Jr. The trust company closed its doors March 31 with estimated liabilities of $1,300,000 and assets nominally the same. Wm. E. Barrett was president.

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NON-UNION HELP

Besiege Labor Leaders For Help

MORE CONTRIBUTIONS FOR STRIKE FUND

The Carders Will Help Non-Unionists

FALL RIVER, Mass., Aug. 2.—A heavy fall of rain gave the streets the most deserted appearance today of any time since the strike began. Those of the strikers who have been resorting to berry picking and clam digging were forced to remain indoors. The labor leaders have little to report, other than that they are besieged with applications for aid from the non-union help. The carders have voted to sacrifice 25 per cent. of their strike benefits, which amount it is understood, will be devoted to the benefit of the non-unionists.

Secretary O'Donnell reports that he has received $460 for the general strike fund in the 24 hours ending at noon today.

MANIAC ESCAPED

Made An Attack on His Wife

BOSTON, Aug. 2—Henry A. Oman of Circuit street, Melrose, escaped from the Danvers Insane Asylum last Sunday for the third time within a year. Being familiar with the hours the patrolmen are on duty, he did not go to his home until about 4 o'clock Monday morning, when he broke in the rear door and pulled his wife out of bed demanding all the money she had in the house.

When she gave him but a few dollars, he went wild and grabbed her by the throat, choking her until she produced the balance, which amounted in all to $18.

The Melrose police are provoked with the Danvers authorities, as they were not notified of Oman's escape until after 7 o'clock Sunday night, and he escaped about 10 o'clock in the forenoon. Officer Heaton called at the Oman residence shortly after 3 o'clock yesterday morning, and finding that Oman had not reached there, he went to his home, thinking it would be impossible for Oman to walk from Danvers to Melrose before noon on Monday. The police of neighboring towns were notified by Chief McLaughlin to be on the lookout for the fugitive.

Oman was committed to the Danvers asylum May 23, 1902. When the officers went after him he put up a fierce fight, and during the scuffle Oman inflicted three deep gashes in Officer Hanley's head with a flatiron. He first made his escape about a year ago and shortly after going to bed the night he reached home, as he tells it, "the spirit of God came to me and told me to break into John H. Gately's house and break up the furniture, and I had to do it."

He left the house partially dressed and broke into Gately's house and was caught by the officers.

His second escape was about a month ago, and to escape capture jumped through the second story window to the ground, a distance of about 20 feet. After a hard run he was caught and returned to the Danvers Asylum.

No trace of him had been found up to a late hour last night.

ALTON BAY

CAMP MEETING AUG. 2 TO 31. LOW RATES.

The annual camp meeting at Alton Bay will take place August 2d to 31st, inclusive. The program includes a number of eminent divines and evangelists; and a large crowd is expected in attendance.

Round trip tickets at reduced rates, good going and returning August 2d to 31st inclusive, will be on sale at this station and principal stations on the Boston & Maine Railroad.

For list of stations and rates, see Boston & Maine posters or inquire of agent.

LEG FRACTURED

WOMAN FELL DOWN FLIGHT OF STAIRS.

Amenau Gaudau, residing at 1, rear of 158 Salem street, met with a painful accident at her home this morning. She was coming downstairs when she slipped to the bottom, sustaining a fracture of the right leg. The ambulance was summoned and the injured woman was removed to the Lowell hospital where her injury was dressed.

GEORGE F. PEABODY

MAY BE TREASURER OF DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE.

NEW YORK, Aug. 2—Geo. Foster Peabody who is said to be the probable choice as treasurer of the democratic national committee was born in Columbus, Ga., July 27, 1852, and has been prominently identified with many financial and other enterprise in all parts of the U. S. and Mexico for many years. He is a director in many corporations, including the General Electric company, the American Beet Sugar Company, Mexican Natural Construction Company, Mexican Northern railway, Montezuma Lead Company, the Southern Education board and the Southern Improvement Company.

NOT AMBASSADOR'S NEPHEW.

PARIS, Aug. 2.—Ahe American embassy declares there is no truth in the report that Waldron Shapleigh, the student of West Lebanon, Maine, who committed suicide by swallowing strychnine at the hotel Dore here July 16 was a nephew of Ambassador Porter. The ambassador never heard of him previous to his death.

COUNTERFEIT BILL.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—Chief Wilkie of the U. S. secret service announces the discovery of a new counterfeit $1 national note. It is on the National bank of commerce in New York, series 1882, Bruce register, Wyman treasurer. It is a poorly executed photograph.

MAY NOT STRIKE

Miners Await Return of President Mitchell

SCRANTON, Pa., Aug. 2.—The executive board of the United Mine Workers' resumed its sessions here today for the consideration of grievances. The miners are in a conciliatory mood and appear averse to ordering a strike to force the operators to accept Umpire Wright's decision.

A plan is under discussion for impressing the operators with the sincerity of the mine workers and giving the operators until the end of this month to agree to the decision. At that time President Mitchell will have returned from his European trip.

TO END STRIKE

LIVE STOCK MEN WILL MAKE ATTEMPT.

DENVER, Col., Aug. 2.—The News today says:

A movement to intervene in the packers' strike in the east will result from a meeting of livestock men from all over the west which begins here tomorrow. These men have suffered as much as anyone from the strike because of a lack of demand for their cattle and they will start a campaign as the independent party to secure an immediate settlement of the strike. Backed up as they will be by the presence of governors of at least six states, officers of the National Livestock association and several of the federal government officials, they hope to bring both sides into a conference, secure an agreement to arbitrate and restore conditions to their normal level in all the stock yards and meat centres of the nation.

The stock men have been called to meet federal officers and discuss grazing.

MOB OF 2000

STORMED THE POLICE STATION IN CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Aug. 2—Rioters stoned the Deering-st. police station late last night and for a quarter of an hour the police battled with the crowd of 2000 men and women, as it charged the station repeatedly with sticks and stones, shouting vengeance against the police.

The trouble started when the police went to the assistance of Frank Castellano, a strike-breaker employed in the stock yards, who had been dragged from a street car and severely beaten.

Before the police could reach Castellano he had fired four shots from a revolver at his assailants. One of the bullets took effect in John Sheehan's arm.

The mob, already in an angry mood, became infuriated when they saw that their companion had been shot. At least 100 men made a rush for Castellano, but he was rescued by the police. The police station was only two blocks away and Castellano was taken there for safety.

Seeing that their intended victim had escaped, the rioters tried to wreck the station. Stones and bricks by the hundred were hurled at the building and the windows were broken. Charge after charge was made by the police and the rioters were driven back only by strenuous use of clubs.

Nearly a dozen times the police sallied forth and charged the crowd with clubs before the rioters dispersed.

In one of these charges three policemen were injured with bricks. At least 50 rioters were cut about the head in the hand-to-hand conflicts with the police before they were finally subdued.

MAY BE MURDER

BROTHER OF DEAD MAN DENIES SUICIDE THEORY.

NEW YORK, Aug. 2—A brother of Timothy O'Connell of Manchester, Conn, a well to do hotel keeper who was found dead at the Grand Central hotel Sunday was greatly incensed when informed that the death certificate gave suicide as the cause of death. He declared that his brother either came to his death by accident or was murdered. "He had no reason to commit suicide," said the brother. "He was wealthy and happy. He had plenty of money when he came here besides a gold watch and jewelry. Where are they? I believe the death was either accidental or that he was murdered." When the body was discovered no valuables of any sort were found.

COSTS TOO MUCH

ROCKEFELLER WILL ABANDON PRIVATE ELECTRIC PLANT.

TARRYTOWN, N. Y., Aug. 2—After spending $10,000 and consideragle time in experimenting, John D. Rockfeller has decided that insofar as he is concerned the operation of a private electric lighting plant is a failure and he has signed a contract with the local lighting company to light his estate at Pocantico Hills. As soon as the new service is began, the private plant which cost about $10,000 will be for sale at a bargain price. It requires about 800 large incandescent lamps to light the mansion grounds and private park and they will be installed at once. The private plant was put in a year ago. The dynamos were set up in one end of the barn.

After operating it a short time, Mr. Rockefeller discovered that the new system was costing more than the electricity formerly supplied by the lighting company. There was also the constant danger of burning the barns which cost about $200,000.

FATALLY INJURED

MAN JUMPED FROM ROOF OF HOUSE.

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—After drinking carbolic acid in an attempt to end his life, and fearing that the poison would not do its work, a man believed to be Isadore Dutsch, jumped from the roof of a five-story tenement house today and was killed. He was about 28 years of age.

REVENUE BUREAU REPORT.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—The preliminary report of Commissioner Yorks covering the operations of the internal revenue bureau for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1904, shows that receipts from all sources of international revenue for the year aggregated $232,904,604, being an increase of $2,163,079 over 1903.

Marion Valley of Gorham street has returned from Methuen where she spent her vacation.

MADE GOOD HAUL

Masked Robbers Held up Two Men

NEW YORK, Aug. 2—In thorough "wild west" style, five highwayment, wearing black masks, held up and robbed in the 97th street traverse road across Central park, Joseph Cross of 59 East 101st street, and J. C. Hurley, a friend, who is staying at the Putnam house.

Cross and Hurley started to walk across the traverse road, from Central park west shortly after midnight yesterday morning. The traverse road is dimly lighted with gas lamps, placed at long distances.

When they got half-way through tha road way a tall, well-dressed man walked up to them and asked them the time. Mr. Cross told him. The man thanked him and walked westward. A little later they noticed him retracing his steps past them, on the opposite sidewalk. When they got to the beginning of the last turn in the road, near 5th avenue, two men suddenly stepped before them and pointed long-barreled revolvers at them.

"Throw up your hands and make no sound if you want to save yourselves trouble," said one of the men, shoving the weapon in his hand under Cross' nose. Hurley was being similarly intimidated by the second man.

The two robbers wore thin black masks with eyelets cut in them. Three other men, wearing masks of the same character, jumped down into the roadway from the bushes overhead.

"We want everything you got," said one of the men. "If you shout for aid we will blow your head off."

While three of the men covered the two victims with revolvers, the other two backed them against the stone wall. They removed a diamond ring from Cross' finger, took his gold watch and chain and $50 from his purse. The chain was worth $60 and the watch about $200. The value of the ring is placed at $125. The highwaymen even examined his private papers to see if any of them were negotiable.

Hurley's watch and chain, a diamond pin and a roll of bills were taken. During the robbery, both victims were made to keep their hands above their heads.

"We will keep you covered with our revolvers until you are out of sight," said one of the desperadoes. "If you make any call for help, we will fire on you and you will be killed."

No arrests have been made.

SUCCESSOR TO M. VON PLEHVE

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 2.—The emperor today received in audience General Count Koutaissoff, military governor of Irkutsk, Siberia, which tends to support the rumors that Count Koutaissoff will succeed the late M. Von Plehve as minister of the interior.

UNITED STATES OFFER PLEASES RUSSIA

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 2.—The fact that the United States offered to assist in the protection of the Kommander Islands sealing grounds during the war and Russia's acceptance of the offer, which was only published in the Russian papers this morning is the subject of much favorable comment, as showing the pleasant relations existing between the two governments.

LITTLE NEWS REACHES RUSSIA

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 2.—All the newspapers were late in publication this morning, the editions evidently having been held back in hope of the receipt of later advices from the front. The only despatch published was one appearing in the Official Messenger, under date of Haicheng, Aug. 1, referring to events of the previous day. According to this despatch numerous assaults were made upon the positions of Lieut General Count Keller and Lieut. General Sazalitch, all of which were repulsed. The Japanese on July 29th, the despatch says, fired upon a supply train running south of Haicheng, and a car was wrecked, but no one was killed.

The Official Messenger publishes the notice of the release of the steamer Malacca which was seized in the Red Sea by the Russian volunteer fleet steamer St. Petersburg and reviews the case. The article concludes thus:

"The arrangement for her inspection and release now is taken in abrogation of Russia's right which she still maintains and her cruisers and warships will stop vessels and search them for contraband destined for the enemy."

RUSSIAN FORCES WERE DEFEATED

TOKIO, Aug. 2—Noon.—After two days' fighting, General Kuroki has defeated the Russian forces in two separate actions fought at Yushuliksu and the Yangse pass.

The Yangze pass or Yangse pass is situated 20 miles east of Liao Yang. The Russian army engaged there is generally known as the eastern army and was commanded by the late Lieut. General Count Keller who was killed by the explosion of a shell.

DECISIVE MOMENT IN THE CAMPAIGN

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 2.—All the military critics this morning take the view that the decisive moment of the campaign has arrived. The army organization says that General Kuroki prepared for his advance by drawing in his forces which were scattered over a front of 40 miles. The paper says it is evident that a large Japanese force is working along the Samaitzsa-Liao Yang line. It expresses doubt, however, which advance of the enemy will push home and whether it is Kuroki's intention to try to flank Kuropatkin north or south of Liao Yang.

The Russ says: "The decisive moment has arrived, but, judging from the latest reports, the Russians have retained their positions and this time it will not be an order to retreat."

COTTON MILL CLOSED.

FREDERICKTON, N. B., Aug. 2.—The Gibson cotton mills at Marysville have shut down for one month. The mills employ about 700 hands.

MAYOR HOWE INVITED.

On Aug. 5th Mayor Howe will be the guest of the mayor of Springfield at the outing of the Commercial Travelers' association of Springfield.

ESCAPED POLICE

Ray McDonald Made Sensational Run

DEDHAM, Aug. 2.—Raymond A. McDonald of Hyde Park, famous as a life-saver, although only a boy of 18 years, yesterday added another record to his already varied career when he made a sensational escape at the Dedham railroad station from an officer taking him to Dedham jail to await his appearance before the grand jury in September on the charge of breaking and entering.

In company with Fred Powers of Norwood, also charged with breaking and entering, McDonald went from Quincy in charge of court officer Marden of the Quincy district court. The two boys were shackled together and all went well until Dedham was reached. The two went into the toilet room and there McDonald slipped his bracelet, and the instant the two got back into the waiting room he gave a jump and was out of the door, running down the platform like a flash. Marden, who had hold of Powers, called for help, turned his prisoner over to a railroad man and ran out after McDonald, who, jumping from the stone wall to High street in front of Snow Bros.' store, started down High street toward Hyde Park.

Marden called upon McDonald to stop, and there being no slackening of speed the officer sent three bullets after him, which however, only served as an impetus to the fleeing boy, who ran along High street as far as St. Mary's Catholic church and then disappeared through Brookdale cemetery.

Chief William F. Drugan, hearing the shots, went to the depot and took Powers to Dedham jail.

Officer Maurice Brown and special officer John P. Delaney procuring a team in company with Marden searched the vicinity, going as far as the sub-station in West Roxbury, where the particulars of the escape and description of McDonald were given to the Boston police.

McDonald is 17 years old, 5 feet and 2 inches in height and weighs 130 pounds. He wore a light scotch tweed suit, black derby hat and low shoes.

McDonald was in the district court at Quincy yesterday charged with breaking and entering the dwelling of Nathan J. Horton at Milton on two counts on July 28 and 31, and was held for the grand jury of the September term under bonds of $500 and $300, and Powers was held on one count of breaking and entering the same place with McDonald, under $300 bonds. In default of bail the two were being taken to the Dedham jail when McDonald made his sensational escape.

While McDonald has been in court before, he can rightly lay claim to a worthy and honorable service of life-saving, beginning more than six years ago and continuing until he has a record of four heroic rescues and a brave attempt at the river, near Fairmount bridge.

He first showed his courage in June of 1898, when he made heroic attempts to rescue William Mahoney, who had been tipped from a canoe with him. A year later he pulled Willie Thompson out of the river, near the bridge at Hyde Park. The next year he jumped in to the river at the Fairmount bridge and pulled Lester Reed out, at the risk of his own life. The name of the third boy saved by McDonald is not known. McDonald saw him capsize from a canoe, near the Fairmount bridge, and pulled him out just in time. In January of 1901 he saved John Thompson, who fell through the ice.

RUSSIAN NIHILISTS CONFER.

GENEVA, Switzerland, Aug. 2—The newspapers here report that a conference of Russian nihilists and Terrorists was held from July 25 to July 29 at the residence of a Russian near the frontier, in the commune of Cheszing, Polish Russia. Fifty to sixty persons are said to have attended mostly from abroad.

Rev. W. George Mullin of St. Peter's church, is attending the exposition at St. Louis.

HELD IN $1,000

Conductor and Flagman Under Arrest

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Aug. 2.—John H. Foley of Hartford and Thomas McNally of this city, the conductor and flagman respectively of the freight train with which the White Mountain express collided near Cedar Hill Saturday night were taken back to the town court in Hamden today charged with manslaughter. They waived examination and were held for the October term of the superior court. Bonds were fixed at $1000 in each case.

The conductor and flagman were arrested last evening by order of the coroner, whose findings were that they were negligent in failing to obey a signal.

FIREMAN KILLED

FIRE EXTINGUISHER THAT HE HELD EXPLODED.

JERSEY CITY, Aug. 2—Joseph Campbell, a member of the company attached to No. 3 fire truck was killed last night by the explosion of a fire extinguisher which he had taken off the truck to use at a fire.

SULTAN'S REPLY

WILL BE GIVEN OUT ON THURSDAY.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2—Minister Leishman at Constantinople today cabled the state department that he had been informed by the Sultan that the latter's answer to the demands of this government will be given in a personal audience next Thursday instead of today as originally appointed. The demands in general are that the discriminations against American citizens shall cease and that Americans shall have the same privileges and exemptions as citizens of European nations and especially that Turkey shall cease to embarrass American educational and religious institutions there.

BISHOP POTTER

DELIVERED ADDRESS AT OPENING OF MODEL SALOON.

NEW YORK, Aug. 2 Bishop Henry C Potter delivered the principal address today at the formal opening of "The Subway Tavern," a model saloon which was established by a number of leaders in the reform movement in this city. The purpose of the promoters is to serve pure liquor and food at low prices under the best moral way.

He said the keynote had been struck by this attack on the liquor situation. He said he believed in the old village tavern as a meeting place where a long evening could be spent without the necessity of intoxication.

"I belong to a dozen clubs," he said. "If I want to go out to dinner or a social evening I can do so in any one of these clubs. But what of a man who lives in two rooms with five small children. He has no club. To get his glass of beer, with his luncheon, he must go to the saloon." This is the greatest social movement New York has ever known.

CHAMPION SPRINTERS ON HAND.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 2.—For the first time in more than six years, St. Louis has been included in the grand circuit which decides the national bike championship, and today the crack sprinters of the country met in competition before a very large crowd at the Worlds Fair Stadium.

While the result of this meet will not decide the national championship, the points won simply being added into the regular circuit totals, still the winners of the Stadium races will be awarded the title of "Olympic champion in the several events.

HARD AT WORK

Judge Parker Preparing Acceptance Speech

ESOPUS, Aug. 2.—A rainy day and a practically complete cessation in the procession of visitors gave Judge Parker a good opportunity to work on his speech of acceptance to be delivered on the occasion of his formal notification next week.

The rumor that Geo. Foster Peabody of Brooklyn, would be treasurer of the national committee was the only important political topic attracting much attention here today. Judge Parker refused to comment in any way upon the report, but it is believed to be well founded and that the selection of Mr. Peabody as treasurer will be announced within 24 hours.

Important political announcements including the personnel of the national executive committee are looked for today or tomorrow from Indianapolis, where chairman Taggart remains to attend the democratic convention. It is reported that he is in almost constant communication with Judge Parker. It is still believed here that Wm. F. Sheehan will be chairman of the executive committee and that the finance committee will be amalgamated therewith. Judge Parker refused today to confirm the report that he had accepted the invitation of Norman E. Mack, the national committeeman from New York state to be with Mrs. Asa Parker, his guest at the St. Louis exposition on New York state day, Oct. 4. There is reason however, to believe that he might make such a trip as this, without violating the principle upon which he has based his determination, not to make any speech making tour.

The occasion is not to be political. Governor O'Dell is expected to make an address upon that day and persons prominent in the state, regardless of party affiliations will participate in the ceremonies.

The new railway station and other improvements at Esopus being made by the West Shore railroad will be completed before the notification day, August 10th.

SHEEHAN AND HILL.

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—David B. Hill and Wm. F. Sheehan made a trip down town today to confer with a numbelr of prominent democrats in the business district. It seems to have been definitely settled that Mr. Sheehan is to be chairman of the executive committee and that he will have charge of the campaign in the east.

MANY INDICTMENTS

BEARING ON ALLEGED CUSTOMS FRAUD SEIZURES.

BOSTON, Aug. 2.—A number of indictments bearing on several alleged customs fraud seizures were returned by the U. S. jury today. Samuel Gunburh, C. A. Baitler, Simon Burman, Wm. Munroe, J. A. Shedd and J. W. Trafton were indicted on the charge of entering into a conspiracy to defraud the U. S. of customs duties. W. R. Robinson and T. R. Mazzaccara were indicted on smuggling counts and Chas. Osgood had a bill reported against him for alleged fraudulent entry of imported merchandise. Hibbard DeBill and W. A. Empey were indicted on a charge of engaging in a lottery scheme.

LABOR DELEGATES

WILL ATTEND TRADES CONGRESS IN LEEDS.

BOSTON, Aug. 2—Dennis Driscoll of this city, president of the state branch American Federation of labor and W. G. Ryan of Springfield, Ills., International vice president of the United Mine Workers' union, sailed from this port today on the steamer Ivernia for Liverpool. Driscoll and Ryan are the delegates of the American Federation of labor to the trades congress which will begin its session at Leeds, England, September 5. A large number of local labor leaders accompanied the delegates down the harbor.

UNEASINESS IN MOROCCO.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—Acting secretary of state Loomis has received a report from Mr. Gummer, the American consul general at Tangier, dated July 15, showing a state of great interest and uneasiness in Morocco following the Perdicaris incident. He says that sometime ago very strong representations were addressed to the Morocco court by the foreign representatives as to the necessity of enlarging the customs storehouse. Work was begun on these, but was promptly stopped upon receipt of letters from the tribesmen who threatened the sultan's representatives and his advisers if they undertook the enlargement of the buildings.

RECEIVED THEIR WAGES.

CENTRAL FALLS, R. I., Aug. 2.—The striking mill hands of the United States Cotton company gathered at the factories here a little before noon today and received their wages due at the time of the declaration of the strike, about 550 being in line at the office windows. The management refuses absolutely to say what steps, if any, will be taken in the future and the strikers reiterate their statements of holding out until satisfactory concessions are granted them.

Nothing of a sensational nature was incident to the payment of the wages today.

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FIVE LIVES LOST

Fatal Accident in Shakespeare Mine

RESCUE GANG BROUGHT BODIES TO SURFACE

Foreman Was Among the Victims

SAULT STE MARIE, Ont., Aug. 2.—A fatal mining accident occurred at the Shakespeare gold mine at Webbwood, on the Soo branch of the Canadian Pacific railroad, some 120 miles east of here, whereby Foreman J. McMillen of the Sault and four miners lost their lives. A rescue gang was organized but all had been dead for some time when the bodies were brought to the surface.

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New Bedford, Mass., June 15, 1904.

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Gentlemen:—I am much pleased to note the short while it has taken to mature my contract. I made application on the 4th of the present month and have already received the benefits, your company having purchased a certain piece of property in Lakeville and allowing me 10 years in which to pay for it. I very highly recommend your plan to any person of moderate means that wishes to own his own home.

James H. McNulty, 188 Middle Street, New Bedford, Mass.

Another Letter:

New Bedford, Mass., June 16, 1904.

North American Trust, 144 Tremont Street, Boston, Mass.:

Gentlemen:—This is to certify that the North American Trust have lifted my mortgage and fulfilled their contract with me in every respect. I wish to state that it is a most remarkable plan for the person of moderate means to get a start in the world.

Yours very truly,

John DeBeech, Jr., 54 Katherine Street, New Bedford, Mass.

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FRANK B. SANBORN

An Noted Crook and Deceiver Held For Trial

Took Young Girl on Criminal Trip, Stealing and Swapping Horses as He Went—He Was Formerly Arrested in Lowell

Frank B. Sanborn, well known to the police of this city, stole a horse and carriage in New Haven, Conn., July 20, and with Miss Bessie Levie drove to Clinton.

On Friday they swapped the horse with Howard Bros. Friday night they were in Nashua, N. H., and Monday they went to Hooksett, where they swapped horses again. Thursday they were in Franklin Falls, N. H. Thursday night they were arrested at Plymouth, N. H. Saturday night they were brought back to Clinton, and Monday morning they were arraigned in the district court at Clinton. A rather speedy dozen days.

On Saturday Deputy Sheriff C. A. Bartlett started after the pair and met W. F. Howard and the chief of police of Laconia at Nashua. Sanborn and the girl made no fight against coming back to Clinton and they were locked up in cells at the police station shortly after 8 o'clock that night. On Sunday, Miss Bessie Levie, or as she claims to be, Mrs. Sanborn, communicated with her mother at Portland, Me., by telephone and Sanborn also talked with his people at Franklin Falls, N. H.

Sanborn was arraigned on the charge of forgery, it being alleged by Chief Bates that he on May 15, 1903, passed a forged check for $16 upon Henry Gicard, proprietor of the Brunswick House. He pleaded not guilty and he was ordered to furnish $500 sureties for his appearance yesterday for trial. He was taken back to his cell but before being arraigned at 10.30 o'clock, charged with the larceny of Howard Bros.' rig, he had a change of heart and pleaded guilty and was held in the same sureties for the grand jury.

Mrs. Max Levie of Portland, Me., the mother of the young girl, telephoned that she was on her way to Clinton, and asked that there be a postponement of court proceedings until she could get to Clinton, which was done.

Sanborn was arraigned first. When asked to plead to the charge of the larceny of a horse and harness, the property of Howard Bros., he replied "guilty," and sat down. The court, stating that the case went beyond his jurisdiction, ordered him to furnish sureties in the sum of $800 for his appearance before the grand jury. Then Sanborn asked the court if he might speak, and being given the opportunity he arose and leaning on the witness stand, said: "My wife, Mrs. Sanborn, had nothing to do with the case, she knew nothing about it. She is not guilty and I want to stand the entire consequences of the case myself." The court said that he would have a chance to make a statement when the woman was arraigned.

Miss Bessie Levie when brought into the court room broke down and cried when placed in the dock. She pleaded not guilty of the charge of the larceny of the horse and harness. Her mother was called to the witness stand and she testified that Bessie is but 16 years of age. The family lived for many years in Boston, but about three years ago moved to Portland. Because of the age of the girl, she being under 17 years of age, it was necessary to notify the state board of charities, before her case could be disposed of. So there was a continuance until next Monday morning, she being ordered to furnish $50 sureties for her appearance at that time. The mother and sister left the court room to telephone to Portland to secure bail, if possible.

Sanborn, when asked why he started on such a criminal career, said that he did not know unless it was from the effects of cigarettes. He told the officers that he had never married the Levie girl. She claims that they were married six weeks ago last Saturday. In court, as stated, he acknowledged by his plea for her that they were married.

Frank D. S. Sanborn of Franklin, N. H., who has just been arrested for stealing a horse from Howard Bros. of Clinton, Mass., has had a spectacular career. Sanborn is the adopted son of Captain A. B. Sanborn and wife of Franklin, N. H. Several years ago Captain Sanborn was engaged in business in New Haven, Conn. The home of the boy adjoined that of Captain Sanborn and he frequently called at the Sanborn residence. Captain and Mrs. Sanborn had an only daughter dying from consumption and she, knowing that the boy had become an orphan, exacted a promise from her parents that they would adopt him. They did so and during the years the lad was growing to manhood he was given every educational advantage. Since young Sanborn attained his majority he has given his foster parents no end of trouble. It is said that one of his first acts was to remove a library from the home of friends of the Sanborns in New Haven during their absence and sell it. Heretofore Captain Sanborn has come to the rescue of the young man when in trouble, but now he declares that he will assist him no longer and desires that he pay the penalty of his alleged crime.

Frank Sanborn is under arrest in Maine, and is wanted in many New England cities, including Lawrence. In September, 1901, Sanborn and Elsie Robertshaw of Methuen were before the police court at Lawrence on a charge of larceny from one Luke Welch, who claimed that the girl had stolen $10 from him while he was asleep in a room in a hotel. The girl told the police that she had given the money to Sanborn. He was located in Lowell and was returned to that city by a Lawrence officer.

Sanborn was tried on the charge of receiving stolen property, convicted and sentenced to six months in the house of correction. At that time he had been out of jail only a month.

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JUDGE'S ADVICE

How to Cure Booze-Fighting Husband

HAVERHILL, Aug. 3.—"One of the first things a woman should do who has a husband that is addicted to drink is to see to it that he gets three good, well-cooked meals every day, so as to destroy the craving for strong drink, which is brought on, partially at least, by an empty stomach."

This was the comment of Judge Abbott in the district court yesterday, when he continued the case of Samuel Whittemore until Sept. 2. The accused was charged with assault with a dangerous weapon upon his wife. Whittemore is widely known in this vicinity having been engaged in the manufacture of brick for many years.

The 4-year-old daughter of the prisoner, Laura Whittemore, was the principal witness in the case. She testified that last Sunday evening she returned home with her mother about 7.30. Her father met them at the door, warned them not to enter the house, and when they refused to go away, discharged a revolver.

Mrs. Whittemore testified that at times her husband made life unbearable for her. She was convinced that last Sunday evening, when she returned home with her daughter, her husband meant to shoot her, although she was unable to say whether he pointed the revolver at her when he discharged it.

Whittemore himself said he told his wife that he wanted supper ready at 7 o'clock Sunday evening, as he had an engagement which he wished to keep. He was angry when she did not return home in time. He claimed that his wife had been disagreeable for a few days previous, and for that reason he did not want her in the house when she returned Sunday evening.

"I never had any idea, said Mr. Whittemore, "of shooting my wife. I admit that I intended to scare her, and that was because I was mad at her failure to return home and prepare the supper for 7 o'clock, as I had requested her to do."

The prisoner said that he purchased the revolver, and his wife purchased the cartridges, the weapon having been secured to shoot rats with.

Inspector Shannon was sent to the home of the Whittemores at Dustin square. When he returned, he confirmed the statements of the accused that there was a bullet hole in the floor of the dining room. The prisoner claimed that when he discharged the weapon he pointed it at the floor and not at his wife.

In summing up the case Judge Abbott besides advising the wives of drinking husbands to feed them well, remarked that the fondness of the accused for liquor was at the bottom of all his troubles. But he did not consider Whittemore wholly to blame for the disturbance which occurred at his home last Sunday evening.

He found Whittemore technically guilty of assault, stating that he did not believe that Whittemore intended committing a felony as charged. He ordered the case continued one month for settlement, as Whittemore promised to secure work in another place.

SAVED HOTEL

BOSTON BALL PLAYERS GOOD FIRE FIGHTERS.

CLEVELAND, O., Aug. 3.—The members the Boston baseball club prevented a panic in the big Euclid hotel where they are stopping, and saved the building from possible destruction by fire after yesterday's baseball game.

The members of the team were being taken to their rooms on the sixth floor when pitcher Dineen and second baseman Ferris remarked that they smelled smoke. At the fifth floor they saw flames issuing from a room. The elevator was stopped. Dineen, Ferris, Parent, Freeman and Gibson, who were on the lift, rushed through the hall, got what fire extinguishers they could find and got busy.

The elevator man in the meanwhile info med the office of the fire as quickly as possible to prevent a panic.

Though the fire department was called the flames were extinguished by the baseball players before the apparatus arrived.

The ball players were given a banquet by manager Avery of the hotel last night on account of the bravery displayed in fighting the flames.

Spontaneous combustion is supposed to have started the fire.

JAIL BREAKERS

THREE OF THEM HAVE BEEN CAPTURED.

BELLEFONTAINE, Pa., Aug. 3.—After four days' constant chase, Ira Green, William Dillon and George Henderson, three of the five prisoners who broke jail here last Friday night, after so badly injuring Turnkey Condo that he afterwards died, were captured at Flemington, near Lock Haven, and were brought here last night and placed in cells.

MEET IN TAUNTON

Firemen's Muster Will be Held There

BOSTON, Aug. 3—All roads in New England will lead to Taunton on Wednesday, Aug. 24, as on that day the New England States Veteran Firemen's League will hold its annual muster in that city.

The league held its regular meeting in Paine Memorial Hall yesterday, when the muster committee, who, after the failure of the plan to have the muster in Fall River, were instructed to provide a place for the muster, presented their report.

The committee reported that they had made every provision for holding the muster on the fair grounds in Taunton, and that the prize money had been deposited. The playing contest will be on the track, directly in front of the grand stand, and the committee expects that at least 50 old-time hand tubs will compete for the league championship trophy and the cash prizes. Special trains, at reduced rates, have been provided, while the managers of the electric roads centering in Taunton are arranging extra cars to provide for the multitude that is expected to be present.

The following letter from the mayor of Taunton was read by the secretary, and he was instructed to accept the invitation in behalf of the league:

The New England Veteran Firemen's Association:

It will afford me great pleasure to welcome your association to Taunton, which I claim to be New England's fairest city, for your annual meet in August, and I can assure the boys a hearty welcome and the freedom of the city.

Come and make us prove it.

RICHARD E. WARNER, Mayor.

Judges for the playing contest were chosen as follows: Andrew J. Cummings of Portland, Me., president of the league, chairman; ex-Chief Abner Coleman Taunton; Assistant Chief J. A. Stevens of Springfield, Engineer Fred Bean of Manchester, N. H.; ex-Chief Charles H. Hooper of Peabody, William E. Mayhury of East Braintree, A. Everett Dunham of Central Falls, R. I., and Baxter Stanley of Pawtucket, R. I.

The committee on arbitration was discharged, and the president was instructed to appoint a committee of three to confer with committees of the Rhode Island state, the Connecticut Valley and the New Hampshire state leagues in reference to adopting a uniform code for a board of arbitration, and to report at the January meeting of the league.

Delegate Erskine of Albion, R. I., caused a breeze of excitement at the opening of the meeting. He evidently thought it was to be a hot one, for he brought a bundle of handkerchiefs with him and gave two to each delegate, receiving the thanks of the league for his thoughtfulness.

PENSION APPLICATIONS

MUCH OF THE RED TAPE OF THE PENSION OFFICE ABOLISHED.

Lowell veterans of the civil war will be interested in the recent orders issued in Washington, relating to the granting of pensions under the ruling of March 14, 1904. The application for a pension is now made very simple, the usual red tape being done away with.

If a veteran who has served 90 days or more in the civil war and was honorably discharged, and who has passed the age of 62, will write to the commissioner of pensions, there will be supplied to him an application blank and the necessary instructions. The services of an attorney are not required, and the only expense incurred is the payment of the notary's fee.

If a veteran is now a pensioner, but is receiving less than the amount to which he would be entitled under the age limit, he should simply follow the same course. When he has filled out his new application, and his affidavit regarding his age is verified by the record of the war department the pension office places him on the new roll at whatever his age justifies, and the old pension becomes inoperative.

Veterans must understand, however, that they cannot draw two pensions. If they are now drawing $6 or $8 or $10 a month under the general law or under the act of June 27, 1890, and have reached an age which under the order entitles them to an increase, they can have it by making the necessary application, but they must relinquish the pension they have been drawing up to the time their names are placed on the new roll.

The effect of the order on those now having pensions will be to increase such pensions up to the age limit if the pension already allowed is below that amount. As the maximum rate of pension provided for under the act of June 27, 1890, is $12 per month, the order will benefit no person who is in receipt of a pension of $12 or more. It must be remembered that the pension office will make no change in its pension rolls unless an application is filed and the age of the claimant is satisfactorily established. Then a pensioner will be transferred with the least possible delay.

Veterans must exercise their own judgment in applying for pensions under the age limit. If they can benefit themselves by making new applications such applications will not prejudice the pension they are now receiving, and the government expects they will take advantage of this further slight recognition of their services.

ROBBED OF $337

BURGLARS ENTER RANDOLPH HOUSE AT NANTASKET.

BOSTON, Aug. 3. Mrs. Hannah Kelley, proprietor of the Randolph house, Nantasket beach, was robbed of $337 in cash yesterday. She had the money hidden in a chamber. The thief scaled the veranda and forced a window.

A few nights ago Mrs. Hillman, proprietor of the Weymouth house at Surfside, was awakened by a strange man in her chamber. She screamed, and the intruder told her that if she would keep quiet he would leave. She did as he requested, and he immediately left without securing any valuables. The people around Nantasket beach think that the work is that of some of the professional crooks who are now infesting Boston.

LOWELL GIRL

RE-ELECTED SCHOOL TEACHER IN AYER.

Miss Caroline A. Downey has been re-elected to teach for the coming school year at the Sandy Pond School, Ayer, Mass.

CLERK ARRESTED

Accused of Stealing Money From Bank

GUILFORD IS SAID TO HAVE CONFESSED

He Wanted to Keep up Appearances

BOSTON, Aug. 3.—Curtis P. Guilford, 28 years old, of 530 Talbot avenue, Dorchester, who has been employed as a clerk in the receiving teller's department of the First National bank, was taken to the Tombs late yesterday afternoon and locked up on a charge of stealing $400 from the bank which employed him. It was said at police headquarters that Guilford confessed to his shortcomings when arrested, and that his excuse was that he needed the money with which to pay for good clothes and keep up appearances.

According to such information as could be gathered at police headquarters last night, Guilford, who is a married man, but has no children, has been living in rather better style than his salary warranted, and, in addition to wearing clothing of excellent quality and irreproachable make, had been regarded as a "free spender".

Some time in the spring it was noticed that there was a leakage somewhere in the bank, and persistent inquiry and search finally narrowed the leak to the department in which Guilford was employed. The money kept disappearing, and finally the bank officers were convinced that, much as they disliked to entertain the thought, Guilford was the man who was taking the cash.

Inspectors Houghton and Harris of the bank squad were called into the case, and yesterday a small sum of money, said to have been $15, was placed in a part of the bank where Guilford would naturally come across it, but under circumstances which would indicate that the money belonged to the bank.

When the clerks had finished work for the day and were about to leave for their homes, the money which had been placed where Guilford could find it, was looked for. It was missing. Then the inspectors, who had been awaiting the result of the test, stepped in and charged Guilford with the theft of the money placed yesterday to try him, and also with the larceny of various other sums in the past few months, amounting in all, as the bank officers have computed it, to $400.

It is said that Guilford admitted he had been taking money nearly ever since the beginning of this year, getting away with a few dollars at a time as occasion offered, and covering up his peculations as best he could.

After talking with the young man for a few minutes the inspectors placed him under arrest and took him to police headquarters where he was booked on a charge of the larceny of $400, and then he was taken to the Tombs and locked up.

Guilford is said to have been highly respected by his business associates, and was popular in the social circles in which he and his wife have moved.

Old Orchard is a beautiful resort for a day's outing. The round trip rate is $1.50 via the Boston & Maine railroad on August 11th.

PEOPLE EXCITED

Trouble Expected at Port Au Prince

PORT AU PRINCE, Hayti, Aug. 3.—The situation here is calmer today but the population is still excited and all the Syrian stores are closed, their proprietors not daring to open them owing to fear of the riotous soldiers and populace. The American minister, Mr. Powell, has advised all of those who have consulted with him to be calm, promising them efficacious protection shortly.

SNEAK THIEF

GOT AWAY WITH $1000 WORTH OF PROPERTY.

BOSTON, Aug. 3.—While Fred C. Raymer, second baseman of the Boston Nationals, was playing ball and while his wife was at the front door of their house at 1059 Tremont street watching fire engines go past the house yesterday, a sneak thief went through the back door into the house and stole from the Raymers watches, jewelry and other property to the value of nearly $1000.

The loss was not discovered until 9 o'clock last night and then the police were notified.

The theft was committed about 2 in the afternoon. Shortly after 2 a second alarm of fire was rung in from box 229 and several pieces of apparatus drove by the door of the house. With the intent of seeing how near the fire was Mrs. Raymer went to the door, one flight down, and after standing there a few minutes went into the suite down stairs to make a call.

She was away from her apartments about an hour. About 9 in the evening Mrs. Raymer missed her watch. In her search for it she missed several other things, and when a list of the missing articles was made up the Raymers found that they had been robbed of valuables worth a little over $900.

The police of the Roxbury Crossing station were notified and a watch of the pawnshops will be kept in case attempts are made to pawn the goods. The only way the thief could have entered the house was through the rear door, which was unlocked.

The rooms showed that they had been hurriedly ransacked. Drawers had been pulled out and things overturned and left in disorder.

You can visit Old Orchard and enjoy a day at the beach via the Boston & Maine railroad at a round trip rate of $1.50 on August 11th.

Don't have a heater put in your house until you have seen our line—the finest display of Boilers and Furnaces in Lowell.
CARROLL BROS.
Tel. 840. 46 Middle St.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Samuel Bentley, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased:

Whereas Albert White, the administrator with the will annexed of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell, in said county, on the twentieth day of September, A. D., 1904, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of July, in the year one thousand nine hundred and four.

W. E. ROGERS, Asst. Register.

MISCELLANEOUS

MRS. CLARA ADAMS, clairvoyant and card reader and ladies' employment office. 355 Gorham street, opposite Court house.

WHITE SEWING MACHINE CO., 378 Bridge street. Ladies your attention is called to see our silent ball-bearing, light-running, rotary machine, it excels all others. We repair all makes of sewing machines, give us a call.

T. BEAUCHEMIN & M. FOURNIER, express and furniture moving in and out of city, pianos handled with great care, office 231 Middlesex st., residence 309 Princeton st.

REAL ESTATE MEN, property owners, etc. Will paper your room, furnishing gold paper and border to match, and hanging same in a first class manner for $2 per room. Special prices quoted on more than one room. Painting, whitewashing, etc., at correspondingly low prices. D. Baker & Co., 170 Gorham st.

WE HAVE ALL the Fall Blocks of Hats and are prepared to supply the gentlemen of this city. Stiff hats cleaned free at Delorme's, 251 Middlesex st. The only Hat manufacturer in town.

RAILROAD AND COMMERCIAL telegraphy taught thoroughly by an experienced telegrapher, positions guaranteed when competent. H. L. Whitten, 320 Gorham st.

BENT'S NO. 2 for excessive sweating feet; harmless. 25c at Falls and Burkinshaw's only, corner Middlesex and Thorndike sts.

DRINK GLORIA for new and vigorous life. Doyle Bros. Telephone.

LADIES Dr. LaFrance's Compound gives positive relief; powerful combination; used by 200,000 women; price 25 cents; druggists or by mail. Address LaFrance & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

LIMBURG Chimney expert; chimneys swept and repaired. Residence 1123 Bridge street. Telephone.

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY LOANED salaried people, easy weekly payments, no delay, we trust to your honor. Massachusetts Loan Co., 13 Merrimack Sq., 16 Prescott st., Room 9.

MONEY TO LOAN—On credit without security, salaried people, merchants. Easy payments, lowest rates, discount for prompt payments. Merrimack Loan Co., 25 Associate bldg.

DON'T BE SHORT—Plenty of money to loan to salaried people, merchants boarding house keepers, teamsters, etc. Easy weekly payments, lowest rates in the city. Confidential; no publicity; no delay. Special inducements for quick payments. Private office. U. S. Loan Co., 29 Prescott st., room 5, Lowell, Mass.

PAWNBROKER—Money to loan; money loaned on all valuable articles, clothing; rates reasonable. A Stein, 343 Middlesex street, Lowell, Mass.

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and all personal property. Private office. (Strictly confidential.) Room 5, Swan building, 25 Central street.

MONEY TO LOAN salaried people, retail merchants, teamsters, boarding houses, without security; easy payments; largest business in 42 principal cities. Tolman, room 26 Associate building.

MONEY TO LOAN at short notice on furniture, pianos, etc. Leases paid off and more money advanced. All business strictly confidential. Address W. E. Lombas, room 9, Barristers hall.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Pair of rimless spectacles in case between Nichols street and Shaw Hosiery on Monday, Aug. 1. Finder please return to 12 Nichols street.

LOST—A black bill book with large sum of money on Salem st. Reward at 25 Bowers st.

LOST—A small purse at entrance to Crescent Park, Sunday. Finder rewarded at Sun Office.

LOST—A long, black lace scarf. Suitable reward. Address S. B. E., 98 Main st., Andover.

LOST—A gold bracelet marked latter G. Friday evening. Return to Sun Office and receive reward.

LOST—A lady's open face chatelaine watch between Crowley st. Railroad Bridge, Lawrence st. Reward at this office.

CHICHESTER'S ENGLISH
PENNYROYAL PILLS
Original and Only Genuine. SAFE. Always reliable. Ladies, ask Druggist for CHICHESTER'S ENGLISH in RED and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with blue ribbon. Take no other. Refuse Dangerous Substitutions and Imitations. Buy of your Druggist, or send 4c. in stamps for Particulars, Testimonials and "Relief for Ladies," in letter, by return Mail. 10,000 Testimonials. Sold by all Druggists. Chichester Chemical Co., Mention this paper. Madison Sq., Phila., Pa.

THE SUN
Is on Sale
At both Newstands
In the Union Station
BOSTON

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

SPECIAL NOTICES

DRESSMAKER will make a lady's suit for $3.00 as advertisement. 23 C St.

MRS. ANNA M. COGGESHALL has moved from 26 to 38 Nichols street.

TRADING STAMPS—All colors, we make a specialty of Tea and Coffee, we give 80 stamps with one pound of Baking Powder at 50c; 80 with one pound of our 60c Tea; 60 with our 50c Tea; 40 with our 25c Coffee; 20 with our 30c Coffee; 30 with our 35c Coffee. The Elwood Tea Co., Davis Square.

LADIES—A most satisfactory summer dessert is "Dainty Desserts." Makes delicious puddings by simply adding pure milk. Flavoring if desired. No baking—prepared in a moment's time. Send 10c for full size package, also our booklet entitled "Some Ideas for Desserts." Leopold Anderson Co., Campello, Mass.

PRACTICAL DRESSMAKER—Miss M. W. Taylor solicits your patronage, 17 Caddell Avenue, Crescent st., off Chelmsford st.

DAVID HUNTLEY wishes to announce to his friends and patrons that he has opened up a bakery store at 1020 Gorham st. with a fresh supply of pies, cake, bread and pastry every day, wedding cakes made to order.

THAT POUND OF COFFEE if bought at Dickson's will be fresh roasted, fresh ground or pulverized and the best coffee you ever had. Double stamps all this week. Dickson's Tea Store, 66 Merrimack st.

BILLIARD AND POOL tables bought, sold and repaired, all work guaranteed. S. Scott, 34 Central st.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—The Sun is on sale every day at both news-stands of the Union Station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

WANTED

WANTED—Hoomers and menders at 17 First st., Centralville, gentlemen preferred.

WANTED—A tenement of 5 or 6 rooms, good location, about $11 a month. Steady tenant. Address J. D., Sun Office.

TRADING STAMPS—We give 20c per 100 for Green, 12c for Blue. Count your stamps and send them by mail. We forward money order for same. L. E. Gibson, 508 Massachusetts Ave., Boston.

WANTED—Sewing to do at home. Mrs. J. S. Wilkinson, 88 First street.

WANTED—Children to board in East Chelmsford, second house on right past city line. Take Boston car.

LYING IN HOSPITAL—This is the only place of its kind in this vicinity and is so equipped as to accommodate all classes. Mrs. Blanchard, 688 Pleasant street, Drew Centre. Telephone 734-4.

WANTED—Children to board in country desirable home, terms reasonable. Address Box 163, Billerica Centre.

CASH PAID for second-hand furniture, also sold and exchanged. Bornstein & Quinn, 118-120 Gorham street.

QUINCY HOUSE, 53 Lee street—Boarders wanted: three square 20c meals for 30c a day, 7 days in the week. James McGregor, prop.

HELP WANTED

WANTED—A woman to care for 4 children. Inquire 31 Cady st.

WANTED—A first class warper tender on No. 29 yarn, good pay and steady work, also a few spooler tenders. Apply to F. L. Leavitt, overseer, Amesbury, Mass.

WANTED—A boy about 16 years old to work in a piano store; one who can play the piano preferred. Address in own handwriting, Piano Boy, Sun Office, Lowell, Mass.

WANTED—A competent Protestant girl in a small family. Apply at 426 Varnum Ave.

EXPERIENCED KITCHEN GIRL wanted, no washing, no chamber work. Thomas Don, 56 Merrimack Square, Mass. Corp.

WANTED—A young man between 16 and 21 years old to learn barber trade. Inquire Sun Office.

WANTED—A good experienced table girl. Inquire 39 Chelmsford st.

WANTED—By a young woman, a place as housekeeper in a small family and a child 7 years old. Address this office, Mrs. S. M.

WANTED—Representatives in Lowell and vicinity for the Equitable Banking Company. Steady work and good pay. W. D. Cobb, 26 Central st., Room 2.

WANTED—A girl in a Greek Coffee House. Call at 594 Market st.

WANTED—A kitchen girl, no washing to do. Apply 111 Westford st.

WANTED—Three or four good spinners wanted on D. & F. long males that are willing to work steady for good pay, no other need apply. Family help preferred. Cochrane Mfg. Co., Dedham, Mass.

WANTED—Table girl at 213 Middlesex st.

150 CARPENTERS WANTED
for long steady job. Good wages. Apply immediately to
R. L. FOSBURGH & SONS
Beverly, Mass.

SITUATIONS WANTED

SITUATION WANTED—To do light housework or mind one or two children. No. 12 Hamilton Corp.

WANTED—Middle aged lady would like housework or minding children. A. W., Sun Office.

SITUATION WANTED—Doing general housework by a Norwegian young woman. Apply at 121 London street.

SITUATION WANTED—Would like position as housekeeper in widower's family or would care for invalid. Address Housekeeper, Sun Office.

WANTED—Light work around gentleman's place or as watchman by sober, honest man with references. Good home more than pay desired. Inquire at 28 Smith street, James Kelley.

WANTED—By an elderly woman, a situation to care for an invalid or to do light housework. Address Mrs. Lucy this office or call at 152 Appleton st.

NURSE—Thoroughly experienced nurse, capable of acting as midwife, confinement cases a specialty. Address 29 Chestnut square.

It is more profitable to advertise honorably and fail in the attempt to get business, than to advertise dishonorably and succeed for a little while.

than you can expect good results from papers with a bogus circulation.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE OR TO LET—On Dix street near Gorham street ten minutes walk from post office all or any part of 22,000 ft. of land suitable to build houses on or for business purposes as it has a railroad frontage of 240 ft. Inquire of John P. Quinn, Dix street.

FOR SALE—Canvas canoe in good condition, price $12. Address R. L. C., room 16, 322 Merrimack st.

FOR SALE—An up-to-date bakery, good store trade and fine route. For further particulars apply at 377 Hampshire st., Lawrence, Mass.

FOR SALE—Boot black stand, 6 chairs, plenty polish, chairs and tobacco, ladies' dressing, etc. Reason for sale sickness. For particulars address A., Sun Office.

FOR SALE—Singer sewing machines, three almost new machines, one tailor machine, very cheap as we retire from business. Apply today 103 Gorham st.

STOP, THINK—Men's Goodyear welt sample shoes for sale at cost prices, Stover & Dean, Hood Bldg.

FOR SALE—Books, law, religious and miscellaneous. Boscawen and Hollis Town Histories. Large and small lots of books purchased. Merritt, 277 Middlesex st.

FOR SALE—Near centre of the city, a large fruit, tobacco and confectionery store, takes in from $100 to $125 a week, cheap for cash. Address, H. D., Sun Office.

FOR SALE—A desirable house lot containing 5200 sq. ft. situated on Madison street. High and dry, city water, gas and sewer on the street. Inquire J. T. Hornby, 41 Madison st.

FOR SALE—Steam carriage, built to order, New Stanley engine and Stanley '04 burner; price, $900. "B," 431 Haverhill st., Lawrence, Mass.

SECOND HAND FURNITURE—For sale by family giving up housekeeping. Apply at Sun Office.

PIANO FOR SALE—Also household furniture at 103 East Merrimack st.

FOR SALE—Two second hand safes and one cash register. Inquire at 23 East Merrimack st.

TO LET

TO LET—Four sunny rooms cor Floyd and Central streets.

TO LET—Cottage newly painted and papered, at Adams Ave., Pawtucketville. Rent $8, key at Mrs. Dennies, next door. W. A. Read, 225 Liberty st.

TO LET—Camp 2 miles out on line of Lawrence electrics. Inquire at 19 Dutton st., one week only.

TO RENT—2 upstair flats on Middlesex st. Nos. 1105 and 1107, one has bath, set tubs and range. See owner, 55 Harvard st.

TO LET—A good tenement at a low rent in Brown's Block, Marshal street. Key at No. 4.

FURNISHED ROOMS—Very pleasant front and two side rooms. Reasonable to respectable parties. 271 Gorham st., opposite Court House.

TO LET—Small tenement fronting on the street. Rent low. Inquire at 153 South street.

NICE AIRY ROOMS—$2.00 to $2.00 per week. Board if desired, one minute to beach. 95 Newhall st., Lynn.

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TO LET—Furnished rooms with baths, hot and cold water; steam heat; $1.50 per week and upwards, best rooms for price in city. Apply 201 Middlesex st.

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TO LET—On Riverside st. near the Textile School a modern tenement of seven rooms, bath, pantry and laundry.

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TO LET AT HAMPTON BEACH—Rooms at reasonable rates in a very desirable cottage. Address A. D. Winslow, Hampton Beach, N. H.

TO LET—Furnished room on School street, near Pawtucket. Gentleman preferred. Address C. M. W., Sun Office.

TO LET—Two houses at Salisbury Beach, rent very low, for further particulars address Mrs. A. T. Clark, 75 Market st., Amesbury, Mass.

TO LET—Suite of unfurnished rooms at 29 Bridge street.

TO LET—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Address or call at 19 Dutton street, after 6 o'clock.

TO LET—A first class boarding house in good repair, all furnished with curtains, 21 rooms 532 Central street. Inquire 34 Jackson or 795 Bridge street.

TENEMENTS—Two room and four room tenements, Chestnut square. Inquire 81 Chestnut street.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—7 room cottage in good repair on Hudson st. Addess E. Z., Sun Office.

FOR SALE—On Rogers street, Belvidere, two story, ten room house with bath and pantry and seven thousand feet of land all fenced in. Smith & Cavanaugh Donovan building, Central st.

SEASHORE FARM—Magnificent ocean view; dig clams, catch lobsters and go fishing right on your own shore; excellent shade; 140 acres; 11 rooms in house; plenty of good well water; barn 40x65, with cellar; all in good repair; mail delivered; few steps to good neighbors; ¼ mile to school and store; only 3½ miles out from village and depot; cuts 25 tons hay from level; smooth fields; excellent soil, growing fine crops of corn, beans, oats, potatoes, vegetables and small fruits, which bring fancy prices at nearby resorts; good pasture for 14 cows, with trout brook; 500 cords wood; 40 apple trees, good for 50 barrels a year; owner to get quick sale will sacrifice; price only $1950; half cash and easy terms; it is the chance of a life time to secure a warranty deed to easy living; write us for travelling instructions, so that you can go to see it at once. Illustrated lists of other New England farms, with reliable information of soils, crops, markets, climate, &c., mailed free. E. A. STROUT, Farm Department, 20, 150 Nassau st., New York City, or Tremont Temple, Boston, Mass.

SUMMER RESORTS

NAHANT BEACH—Furnished rooms to let by the day or week. 12 and 14 Suffolk st., Lynn, Mass.

REVERE BEACH—Billerica cottage, 372 Ocean Ave., rooms and board. All home cooking, terms reasonable. Apply to Miss MacDonald.

VOLZ STOPPED THEM

Lowell Couldn't Touch His Delivery

But Before He Entered the Game They Were Winning—McLaughlin Makes a Batting Record—Dorgan Made a Sensational Catch

Manchester defeated Lowell yesterday afternoon at Spalding park in a rain storm, in a game that was scrappy throughout. Owing to the disagreeable weather there were only about 250 people present, but Manager Lake said he would play the game if there were but three people present.

At 3.15 o'clock Umpire Kerins called the game and as the men went to the bat Lake remarked that he never lost a game in a rain storm.

FIRST INNING.

Manchester went to the bat first and Page drew his base on balls. Armbuster hit to Connors who threw to second catching Page. Hickey in trying to make a double play threw over Lake's head and Page throwing his mit in the air stopped the ball from going into the bleachers. Smith flied out to McLaughlin and Warren closed the inning by hitting to Bushey. The latter knocked the ball down and Hickey fielded it to first in time to get Warren.

For Lowell, Tierney hit to Warren and died at first. Connors hit to Kane and was out at first. Dorgan singled to left field, and Hickey closed the inning by hitting to Warren and forcing Dorgan out at second.

Score—Lowell 0, Manchester 0.

SECOND INNING.

Neither side scored in the second inning. Chapman struck out. Taylor sent a line drive to McLaughlin and the little fellow by a phenomenal catch stopped the ball with his bare hand. Kane struck out.

In Lowell's half Lake hit to Warren and was out at first. Bigbie singled to left field. McLaughlin singled to short right and McGovern hit to Taylor, the latter throwing McLaughlin out at second; Knau then threw the ball to first base for a double play.

Score—Manchester 0, Lowell 0.

THIRD INNING.

Manchester went out in quick order in the third. Cote and Jordan struck out and Page flied out to Bigbie closing Manchester's half of the inning.

In Lowell's half Bushey hit to Jordan and was out at first. Tierney struck out. Connors drew his base on balls and Dorgan struck out.

Score—Lowell 0, Manchester 0.

FOURTH INNING.

Manchester jumped on Bushey with both feet in the fourth and sent in three runs. Armbuster was hit in the wrist with the ball and was sent to first. Smith bunted along the first base line and though Lake fielded the ball there was no one on first and the visiting player was safe. Warren advanced both men with a sacrifice. Chapman singled to right field scoring Armbuster. Chapman then stole second. Taylor hit to left field and Smith and Chapman scored. Knau got his base on balls. Cote flied out to Tierney and Jordan closed the inning by striking out.

Lowell scored one run during the latter part of the fourth. Hickey flied out to Armbuster. Lake singled to left field and stole second. Bigbie foul flied to Chapman, the latter making a pretty running catch. McLaughlin singled to left field scoring Lake and McGovern closed the inning by flying out to Smith in center field.

Score—Manchester 3, Lowell 1.

FIFTH INNING.

Bushey pulled out of a bad hole in the fifth. Page opened with a single to centre field and then stole second. Armbuster hit to Connors who threw wild to first and Page went to third and Armbuster went to second. Smith drew his base on balls. With the bases filled and no one out it looked as though the boys from the Queen city would score, but Warren flied out to McLaughlin and Chapman did the same trick, and Taylor was thrid out on strikes.

Lowell got a man as far as third in the fifth inning, but failed to score. Bushey flied out to Taylor and Tierney drew his base on balls and while trying to steal second was caught out by about a mile. Connors hit to left field and Dorgan singled to short center, Connors going to third. Hickey wound up the inning by flying out to Armbuster.

Score—Manchester 3, Lowell 1.

SIXTH INNING.

Knau opened the sixth inning by striking out. Cote flied out to McLaughlin. Jordan was the next man up and he hit a foul tip which struck McGovern on the finger which he injured last Saturday, and Dr. Fred Leahey was called and it was found that the member was broken. "Terry" will be out of the game for some time. Lake then went in to catch, Bigbie went to first, Tierney went to left and Cross went out to right field. Jordan finally struck out.

Lowell tied the score in the sixth inning through good stick work on the part of Barnie McLaughlin. Lake hit to left field and was safe at first. Bigbie flied out to Chapman. McLaughlin was the next man to step to the plate and he swung on a good ball and sent it over the left field fence bringing in two runs. Cross struck out and Bushey went out, Taylor to Chapman.

Score—Lowell 3, Manchester 3.

SEVENTH INNING.

Manchester failed to score in the seventh owing to a phenomenal catch by young Dorgan, which was the feature of the game. Page opened the inning with a single to centre field. Armbuster sent him to second on a pretty sacrifice. Smith then hit between deep right and centre field for what looked to be a sure two or three base hit, but Dorgan got after it and sprinted in a manner that would make Arthur Duffy look like three cents, and nabbed the ball. Warren flied out to Bigbie.

When Lowell went to bat it was found that Volz had been substituted for Page. Tierney was first up and he fled the ball out to Knau. Connors hit to Knau and was out at first, and Dorgan also hit to Knau and went out at first, losing the inning.

Score—Lowell 3, Manchester 3.

EIGHTH INNING.

In the eighth inning Chapman hit to Hickey and died at first. Taylor hit to left field for a single. Knau drew his base on balls. Cote struck out. Voltz hit to McLaughlin forcing Knau at second base.

Hickey opened the eighth for Lowell by hitting to Knau and going out at first. Lake struck out. Bigbie closed the inning by striking out.

Score—Lowell 3, Manchester 3.

NINTH INNING.

Page opened the ninth with a single to short left. Armbuster went out on a foul fly to Connors who made a pretty catch. Page stole second and Lake's bad throw sent him to third. Bushey gave Smith his base on balls and Smith kicked against going to first saying that Bushey did it deliberately. Warren bunted down the first base line and Bushey tagged him out while Page scored. Chapman hit one that hit against the left field fence and Tierney caught the ball but fell against the fence and dropped the ball and Smith scored. Taylor hit to Connors and was thrown out at first.

In the last half of the ninth McLaughlin opened with his fourth consecutive hit. Cross struck out. Bushey made a single to left sending McLaughlin to second base.

Tierney struck out.

Connors flied out to Taylor.

LOWELL.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Tierney rf lf	4	0	0	0	1	0	1
Connors 3b	4	0	1	1	1	2	1
Dorgan cf	4	0	2	2	1	0	0
Hickey 2b	4	0	0	0	2	2	1
Lake 1b c	4	2	2	2	4	0	1
Bigbie lf 1b	4	0	1	1	5	0	0
McLaughlin ss	4	1	4	7	5	1	0
McGovern c	2	0	0	0	7	1	0
Bushey p	4	0	1	1	1	2	0
Cross rf	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	3	11	14	27	8	4

MANCHESTER.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Page rf	4	1	3	3	0	0	0
Armbuster lf	3	1	0	0	2	0	0
Smith rf	3	2	1	1	1	0	0
Warren 3b	3	0	0	0	0	3	0
Chapman 1b	5	1	1	1	11	0	0
Taylor 2b	5	0	2	2	4	2	0
Knau ss	3	0	0	0	2	5	0
Cote c	4	0	0	0	7	1	0
Jordan p	3	0	0	0	0	1	0
Volz p	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	5	7	7	27	12	0

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Lowell	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0—3
Manchester	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	2—5

Earned runs—Lowell 3, Manchester 2. Home runs—McLaughlin. Sacrifice hits—Warren, Armbuster. Stolen bases—Chapman, Lake, Page 2, Armbuster. Double plays—Taylor, Knau and Chapman. Strike outs—By Bushey 9, by Jordan 3, by Volz 4. Bases on balls—By Bushey 5, by Jordan 2. Hit by pitched ball—Armbuster. Umpire—Kerins. Attendance—250. Time of game—2h. 10m.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

At Concord—Concord 8, Nashua 7. (first game). Batteries—Young and Diggins; Labelle and Merritt. Concord 3, Nashua 1. Rollins and Merritt. Attendance—500.

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Cleveland—Boston 4, Cleveland 1.
At Chicago—Chicago 5, Washington 1.
At Detroit—New York 2, Detroit 1.
At St. Louis—Philadelphia 3, St. Louis 3.

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

At New York—Chicago-New York game postponed—rain.
At Brooklyn—Brooklyn-Pittsburg game postponed—rain.

GAMES TODAY

NEW ENGLAND LEAGUE.

Lowell at Concord.
Fall River at Haverhill.
Nashua at Manchester. (two games.)
New Bedford at Lawrence.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Boston at Cleveland.
New York at Detroit.
Washington at Chicago.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

St. Louis at Boston.
Pittsburg at Brooklyn.
Cincinnati at New York.
Chicago at Philadelphia.

N. E. LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Haverhill	53	25	.607
Lowell	45	36	.513
Concord	39	37	.513
Nashua	39	39	.500
Fall River	38	40	.487
Manchester	37	40	.481
New Bedford	36	40	.474
Lawrence	25	50	.333

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Boston	54	33	.621
Chicago	55	35	.611
New York	51	34	.600
Cleveland	47	37	.560
Philadelphia	48	38	.558
St. Louis	34	47	.420
Detroit	31	51	.403
Washington	18	66	.214

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
New York	62	24	.721
Chicago	53	34	.609
Cincinnati	52	37	.584
Pittsburg	50	36	.581
St. Louis	48	40	.546
Boston	38	57	.367
Brooklyn	32	59	.352
Philadelphia	22	68	.253

DIAMOND NOTES.

Lowell at Concord today.

Poor Terry will be out of the game for some time. His finger is broken. The same finger that was injured in Saturday's game.

Only for the errors we would have won. But that's nothing new.

Young Dorgan bids fair to make a good outfielder.

The doubleheaders are now upon us. Doubleheader with Concord tomorrow.

CRICKET NOTES

The Mohair cricket team will meet the fast Everett team on the Chelmsford street grounds on Saturday afternoon in one of the most important games that has been pulled off so far this season. The race between the three leading teams, the Everetts, Mohairs and Buntings has caused considerable rivalry and a good game is assured. The Everetts lead with 18 points, the Mohairs 16 and the Buntings 14.

It is easy to see the importance of the Mohairs' winning from Everett in this match if they are to stand a good show for the championship. They are rather unfortunate at this critical stage of the contest to be short of some of their best bats. The teams chosen to do the work for the Mohairs is as follows, providing Mr. Hird's hand is sufficiently improved to warrant him using it in a game:

D. Hird, captain, H. Moseley, H. Allen, J. Thorpe, J. Priestly, I. Shaw, T. Haughton, J. Shuttleworth, J. Harrison, J. Harriman, J. J. Whittaker. Reserves, J. Cooper and C. Waite. Game at 2.30 promptly.

On Friday night there will be a general meeting of the Mohair club and it is earnestly hoped that all members and especially all players will make a special effort to be there, as business of great interest to all will be brought before the meeting.

MRS. ARTHUR PAGET

IS NIECE OF MRS. RICHARDSON OF THIS CITY.

Mrs. Arthur Paget, who was seriously injured by falling down the elevator shaft of her residence in London, yesterday, is a niece of Mrs. George F. Richardson of this city.

A good time! August 11th excursion to Old Orchard beach via the Boston & Maine railroad. $1.50 round trip.

CONNORS' SCALP

Is in Danger According to Report

AN INTERESTING BASE BALL ITEM

Appeared in a Portland Paper Saturday

The following very interesting item appeared in Saturday's Portland Express.

Martin Mack, owner of the Lowell New England league baseball club, with Robert C. Paradis, official scorer of the same team, are in town today and will watch the work of the South Portlands with interest, particularly that of Third Baseman Lord, whom the Massachusetts men would like to have affix his signature to a contract with the Spindle City team.

Mr. Mack has seen the South Portland player before and so impressed was he with his clever covering of the third station that he at once instituted overtures in hopes that he might secure him for his team. The Lowell team could use a man like Lord first rate, for while Billy Connors is a very good man and covers lots of ground and covers it well, it is quite evident to Mr. Mack that Lord would strengthen the team greatly, both by his fast fielding and also in his stick work, he being especially good with the wagon tongue. Mr. Paradis is an expert on things pertaining to the national game, and can tell a ball player as far as he can see one. Mr. Mack will be guided by his opinion of the local man.

The above item will interest the local fans greatly as it is the first intimation that they have had that Connors is not giving perfect satisfaction.

He is certainly satisfying the public all over New England if he does not meet the requirements of our local expert. We are indebted to the Express for first knowledge of Mr. Paradis' expertness in selection as we had formerly credited them to Manager Lake. Barring an umpire from Billerica, not Mr. McMahon, whom Mr. Paradis discovered a few years ago we were not aware that the league was indebted to him for its success.

But to return to Connors. There isn't a harder working or more faithful player in the business than Connors. Manager Lake himself is on record as saying that Connors can handle a ground ball better than any infielder in the league, and Lake should be given credit with knowing a little about players. Connors position is second base and in that position there is none in the New England league who can touch him. He was put on third to make room for Hickey on second and though playing out of position he demonstrated the fact that he can hold down that bag with any of them. And now they're looking for a man from South Portland to take third base, and the assumption is that Connors is going on the bench. Such a move would be fatal to the Lowell club from a playing standpoint as well as in the box office.

The Sun would suggest that if a new third baseman must be secured, get a good one and then put Connors on second base and Hickey in right field. This suggestion is made not with any attempt to disparage Hickey for Mattie is all right, but in order to have them all in the game, and of the two Hickey would play the better outfield. Such an arrangement, provided the new third baseman did as well as Connors, would strengthen the team, but to place Billy on the bench would be a big mistake.

Don't forget the date, August 11th. $1.50 is the round trip rate to Old Orchard via the Boston & Maine railroad.

HELLO WON OUT

Bennington's Colt Takes Mohawk Stakes

SARATOGA, N. Y., Aug. 3—Newton Bennington's three-year-old Hello won the Mohawk, the stake feature of yesterday's racing at Saratoga, in impressive fashion. Passing under the wire Hello was two and a half lengths ahead of Champlain. Frank Farrell's Gonzalvo-Lillian Belle colt, Champlain, made the running until the stretch was reached. At this point Hello came up under a hard ride by O'Neill and was never headed.

The track was fast, the crowd fair-sized, the field exceptionally large and two races, the first and third, were won by a head. The best race of the day, however, was the last, in which Mr. Keene's great colt Delhi, covered the mile in 1.37 3-5, making a track record and coming within 1-5 of a second of Dick Welles world's record. Grey Friar, in at bottom weight, closed in the stretch and was only half a length behind at the wire. Delhi is a candidate for the Great Republic, the richest stake of the meeting. Summaries:

FIRST—FIVE AND A HALF FURLONGS.

McChord, 111, (J. Martin), 2 to 5 1
Jack Lory, 114, (Odom), 30 to 1 2
Broadcloth, 109, (T. Burns), 10 to 1 3
Time—1.07 4-5.

SECOND—MILE AND A SIXTEENTH—ON TURF.

Ascetic, 91, (Crimmins), 10 to 1 1
Allan, 107, (Cormack), 5 to 1 2
Regular, 109, (H. Phillips), 4 to 1 3
Time—1.49.

THIRD—FIVE AND A HALF FURLONGS.

Calmgorm, 112 (Lyne), 15 to 1 1
Sunlight, 112, (H. Phillips), 15 to 1 2
Prince Hamburg, 112, (Shaw), 1 to 2 3
Time—1.08.

FOURTH—THE MOHAWK—MILE AND A FURLONG.

Hello, 107, (O'Neill) 4 to 1 1
Champlain, 104, (Walsh), 15 to 1 2
Boladil, 96, (Sperling), 9 to 10 3
Time—1.51 4-5.

FIFTH—SIX FURLONGS.

Orly, 107, (O'Neill), 6 to 5 1
Automaster, 108, (Cormack) 8 to 1 2
Commonetta, 105, (T. Burns), 20 to 1 3
Time—1.14.

SIXTH—ONE MILE.

Delhi, 112, (Redfern), 11 to 10 1
Grey Friar, 98, (H. Phillips), 7 to 1 2
Fort Hunter, 107, (Wonderly), 60 to 1 3
Time—1.37 3-5.

DOVER RACES

MIDSUMMER MEET OPENED WELL YESTERDAY.

DOVER, N. H., Aug. 3—The mid-summer light harness meeting opened at the Granite State park yesterday with a large attendance.

Three favorites won their races, Kitty Giltner taking the 2.20 trot in straight heats, although she was hard pressed by Zambia, in each heat. There were only two horses in the 2.08 pacing event and Terrill S., finished in the lead in each of the three heats. The 2.15 pacing race went to Jim Kyle in straight heats. The summaries:

2.20 TROT—PURSE $500.

Kitty Giltner, bm, by Gazette (Brady)	1	1	1
Zambia, bm, (Pfiter)	2	2	2
Jimmy Michael, bg (Nuckles)	5	3	4
Baron Patch, bg, (Timothy)	4	7	3
Mazetta, bm, (Crawford)	3	5	7
Princess Lessa, bm, (Richardson)	7	4	6
Cassie C., blk m, (Kinney)	6	6	5
Bermuda J., bg, (McGrath)	8	8	dr

Time—2.16¼, 2.16¼, 2.18½.

2.15 PACE—PURSE $500.

Jim Kyle, bg, by Tip Top, (Nuckles)	1	1	1
Stephen P., br g, (Stanbrough)	2	2	3
Arzilla, bm, (Hyde)	4	3	2
Banker Hill, bg, (Timothy)	3	4	4

Time—2.15¼, 2.12½, 2.13.

2.08 PACE—PURSE $500.

Terrill S., ch g, by Strathmore, (Lozelle)	1	1	1
Pesler Patron, bg, (Richardson)	2	2	2

Time—2.12½, 2.10¼, 2.11.

NASHUA MEET

AUGUST MEET OPENS WITH TWO EVENTS ON CARD.

NASHUA, N. H., Aug. 3—The August meeting of the New England Half Mile circuit opened here yesterday afternoon. There were two events, the 2.20 pace and the 2.40 trot. A free-for-all was booked but did not fill. In the 2.20 pace Little Miss was picked as the winner but she had hard work to take the opening heat. Al Dean then went in and took the race in three straight heats.

The 2.40 trot went off so slowly that the judges called the drivers to the stand and cautioned them. Hortens was favorite but had hard work to finish third in the first heat. Arthur, the driver, was replaced by Cunderlin. The race went to Ellent after five heats. Summaries:

2.20 PACE—PURSE $400.

Al Dean, bs, by Alcanda (Deelin)	7	1	1	1	
Little Miss, bm, (Bullivant)	1	2	3	2	
Corona, ch m, (Marston)	8	9	2	3	
Edith J., ch m, (Sunderlin)	2	5	4	4	
Kilnllewood, bm, (Lovell)	3	4	5	6	
Forest Wilkes, bs, (Moody)	6	7	7	5	
Worthmont, bm, (Moynahan)	5	8	9	7	
Tommy Allen, ch g, (Warren)	9	5	8	8	
Joyful Maiden, bm, (Anderson)	4	3	6	dr	

Time—2.19¼, 2.18¼, 2.16¼, 2.19¼.

2.40 TROT—PURSE $400.

Ellent, br m, by Mildrult, (Nugent)	1	2	1	2	1
Idle Mac, bg, (Anderson)	5	1	5	1	3
Spaeiul, bm, (Young)	3	3	2	3	2
Hortens, br m, (Arthur and Sunderlin)	3	4	4	5	4
Great Medium, gs, (Warren)	4	5	3	4	5
Madina Wood, bm, (Anderson)	dis				

Time—2.33¼, 2.27½, 2.30½, 2.28¾, 2.30.

NASHUA RACES

TWO EVENTS ON THE CARD YESTERDAY.

NASHUA, N. H., Aug. 3.—Despite the showers which followed each other in succession during yesterday afternoon, the August race meeting at the Nashua track was opened in a successful manner and two excellent races were run off.

The track was rather heavy from the rain, and the time somewhat slower than would have been the case with a more suitable track. There was a fair-sized crowd present, Boston, Worcester and other places being well represented.

The first event on the card was the 2.20 pace with nine starters. Aldeen was favorite, and after the first heat, which went to Little Miss, came to the front and captured the race, though Little Miss made the favorite go in each heat.

The 2.40 trot brought six starters to the wire, one falling by the wayside in the first heat, and the other five making a good race out of the remaining four heats.

The horses in this race were all practically unknown, and there was little choice for the talent. Silene having the better of it after the first heat, which he landed in slow time. Idle Mac, a local horse, took the second and fourth heats, but did not have speed enough for the fifth and deciding heat, which went to Silene.

STRUCK BY LIGHTNING

MR. WOODBURY'S HOUSE IN PELHAM DAMAGED.

The house of F. M. Woodbury in Pelham was struck by lightning and badly damaged during the heavy thunderstorm Tuesday morning. The house is almost directly opposite the car barn of the Southern New Hampshire Traction Co. The lightning went through the roof, dismantling a portion of the same and scaming the walls in all directions. The damage will be about $300.

WATER SHRINKING.

The great evaporation in the lakes and streams in this section of New England the last week or two says a Nashua correspondent, has caused an unprecedented shrinkage in the bodies of water available for manufacturing and domestic purposes. The upper Pennichuck ponds which supply the city water for Nashua, are being drained to furnish power at the pumping station, and it is thought that steam may soon be resorted to.

The Merrimack and Nashua rivers are both low. The Merrimack got very low last week, but the closing of the mills at Lowell over Sunday allowed the streams to recuperate in a measure, but more low water is expected. The waters have not been so low for several years as they are at present. The rains at this season of the year have little effect on the streams, as the ground absorbs the greater part of what falls.

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SWORN CIRCULATION OF THE SUN

The sworn daily average circulation of The Lowell Sun for the year 1903, was **14,590** A gain of 1083 copies per day over the average for the year of 1902.

Sworn to by John H. Harrington, proprietor, Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman of The Sun, before me, January 1, 1904. JOHN J. HOGAN, Notary Public.

14,718 The sworn daily average circulation for seven months of 1904 was: **14,718**

☞This is a larger circulation than the combined circulation of all the other daily papers in Lowell.

☞An advertisement placed in The Sun is of more value to the advertiser than if it were inserted in all other the newspapers in Lowell, and the cost of inserting it in The Sun is about ONE THIRD the price charged by the other papers.

CHAPIN FOR STATE TREASURER.

The republicans this year are to have a contest for the office of treasurer. Among the leading candidates is Mayor Arthur B. Chapin of Holyoke. For six years he has been mayor of Holyoke and during that time he has accomplished many reforms and put the city upon a better financial footing than it held for many years previous. He is a strong candidate for the office of treasurer. He was first mentioned as a candidate for governor but it seems that he has decided to be satisfied with a subordinate office.

PLEHVE WAS GENERALLY DESPISED.

While the press of this country condemns assassination and condemns the anarchists for rejoicing over the assassination of Minister Plehve, not a single newspaper is heard to say a good word for the victim of the assassin's bomb. It seems that he made himself feared and dreaded wherever known. When such a man is stricken down it is not usual to hear any great lamentation for his fate but that does not mean an approval of assasination or an endorsement of anarchy.

HIGHER TAX RATES REPORTED.

Generally throughout the state there has been an increase in the tax rate without any decrease in the valuation. This state of affairs will naturally cause criticism of the officials and opposition in the coming elections on the ground of economy, but still the upward tendency in the tax rate goes on. This is particularly objectionable in cities in which the value of real estate is at a low ebb. Lowell is in this class of cities and any increase in the tax rate already far too high will be regarded in the nature of a calamity.

FRANCE AND THE VATICAN.

Some people criticize Pope Pius X on account of his bluntness towards France. They say he is less diplomatic than was his predecessor, Pope Leo XIII. Perhaps he is, but even so, he is right in refusing to permit the French branch of the church to be ruled by politicians, such as Premier Combes. Any action on the part of His Holiness that will relieve the church of the incubus of political carping and domination, however undiplomatic it may be will be justified in view of the present subservient condition of the church in France. Better have the church free to pursue her mission even though she lose $8,000,000 a year in the withdrawal of the government allowance stipulated in the Concordat. The church will never be free from political domination until she is self-sustaining and wholly independent of government support.

The rupture between the church and the French government is said to be complete, but it will never be complete until the Concordat is abolished. The sooner that is accomplished the better will it be for the church.

HOW FIRES ARE STARTED BY ELECTRIC WIRES.

Electric wires constitute one of the most frequent causes of fires. There is no doubt that wires were responsible for the fire in E. L. White's mansion on Monday night. When wires close together become charged by the induction of a lightning storm, the return current from the trolley lines or any other cause, the current often flashes across the narrow space burning any inflammable substance in its path. In this way some of the most mysterious fires originate. It is all through defective electric construction. Some so-called electricians know so little about their business that they are likely to arrange the wires in the manner best calculated to start a fire. Thus the proprietor has not only to pay the electrician's bill but suffer loss from the fire started it may be through the electrician's stupidity. We do not refer to the White residence in particular nor do we deny that sometimes where the construction is perfect circumstances will combine to produce the spark necessary to start a fire.

It occasionally happens that after the wires are put in a lead or iron pipe or a steel ceiling will be brought into contact with them and this of course means the starting of a fire as soon as there is any electric disturbance.

HAGGARD'S MESSAGE FROM HIS DEAD DOG.

Rider Haggard, the novelist, has written a story about his dog which of course will give rise to a new cult, that might be designated the "Telephathy Between the Human Species and the Lower Animals."

Haggard's dog was killed in a railroad accident and before, on or after the accident the novelist had a nightmare in which he saw his dog dying and at the same time telling its master what had happened. Was it a coincidence? Was it canine telephathy or was it a direct spiritual communication from the departed canine?

These are the questions which now confront the society for psychical research, the same that after due investigation discovered that a ghost had length and breadth but no thickness.

It will soon be time to open a paradise for departed canines from which the owners still in the flesh can hold communication or mayhap call up the spirit of "Fido," "Diver," or "Primrose," or otherwise converse with the canines by telephathy, the alleged medium by which Rider Haggard was apprised of the fate of his dog.

A FARCICAL INDICTMENT.

It appears now that the officials of the Knickerbocker Steamship company are to go scot free. The federal grand jury has indicted Captain Shaick for manslaughter and the other officers for aiding and abetting. The officers of the company are held under the common law for aiding and abetting, a finding which in the opinion of competent lawyers can easily be set aside.

Thus the men who were pocketing the profits, whose unwillingness to incur any expense left the General Slocum unprovided with safety appliances are to be set free while their employe is to be the scapegoat.

The law under which Captain Shaick was indicted applies equally to the owners as the following section of the law clearly shows:

Every captain, engineer, pilot, or other person employed on any steamboat or vessel, by whose misconduct, negligence or inattention to his duties on such vessel the life of any person is destroyed, and every owner, inspector, or other public officer, through whose fraud, connivance, misconduct or violation of law the life of any person is destroyed, shall be deemed guilty of manslaughter, and, upon conviction thereof before any circuit court of the United States, shall be sentenced to confinement at hard labor for a period of not more than ten years.

Why the federal grand jury should exempt the owners who are so specifically mentioned is difficult to see unless it be a scheme devised to set them free.

In case the owners of the General Slocum and the owners of the Iroquois theatre in Chicago go free, as is now quite likely to be the case, it will be in order for the representatives of the people to demand a change in the law, by which the owners of the property in which disasters occur shall be held mainly and directly responsible and so that the responsibility shall not be shifted upon the shoulders of some employe, who merely obeys the orders of his employer.

The people of this country are watching the outcome. In both cases determined that if the law be not applied somebody will be blamed and that if the law be inadequate to hold the guilty parties, it will be quickly amended.

SEEN AND HEARD

A pocket roulette wheel built like an open face stem winding watch has appeared on the market. The dial is a reproduction of the surface of a roulette wheel. On a pivot in the center is a thin hand, steel colored. The mechanism is controlled by a spring which is wound by the stem, like a watch. Pressure on the stem releases the spring which sends the wheel spinning around the face of the dial with a motion so rapid that the hand becomes invisible. When the pressure is released the hand stops instantly.

A French woman who is a lover of books and is willing to spend money to see them preserved, offered a prize two years ago for the best work on the insects that injure them and the best way of exterminating the pests.

The prize has just been awarded to C. V. Houlbert, whose essay, it is said, is the best that was ever written on the subject. He finds that there are sixty species of insects that injure books, the worst being the minute specimen called the anobium and its near allies. The so-called "death watch" belongs to this family. Fumigation is the means that he suggests as the best for exterminating them.

Here are the ages of Japanese generals:

Marquis Yamagata (Field Marshal) 66 years.

Marquis Oyama (Field Marshal), 62.

Count Nodzu, 63.

Count Katsura (Premier), 57.

Viscount Sakuma, 58.

Baron Kuroki (First Army), 60.

Baron Oku (Second Army), 58.

Baron Yamaguchi (Fifth Division), 58.

Baron Okazawa (Emperor's Aide de Camp), [illegible].

Baron Nogi (at the front), 55.

Baron Hasegawa (Imperial Bodyguard), [illegible].

Baron Nishi (Second Division), 58.

Baron Kodama (Chief of Staff), 52.

Prince Fushimi (First Division), 46.

Rider Haggard the novelist, has sent to the London press a story concerning his dog, which will occasion considerable comment on the part of those who are interested in such matters. He says that on the night of July 10 he suffered a painful nightmare, and while still half conscious dreamed his favorite retriever was dying, that he himself was close to it and that the dog was endeavoring to tell him the facts. The body of the retriever was found in the river three days afterward, and an investigation seems to prove that it was killed on July 10 by a train about three hours before the novelist's dream.

The only doubt as to facts appears to be as to the time of the accident by which the animal met his death. If the "dream" came before the death the incident is to be set down as a dream which turned out to be true, something that is not uncommon. If, however,—and Mr. Haggard believes that he has proof that this is the case—the dream came at the moment of death, it will be difficult to dispute those who assert that this was an instance of telepathy between a dog and a human being which is without precedent so far as we know. If, on the other hand, the "dream" came after the dog's death, there will be many who will insist that a spiritual part of the dog communicated with the mind of his master.

Those who are disposed to ridicule such occurrences as these are superficial. There are events of human life whose mystery defies present solution and that there are means of communication between those peculiarly attached to each other has been amply proven if little understood. Such instances as that cited by Mr. Haggard are certainly worthy of honest consideration.

DIVORCE DECREE

WOMAN FREED FROM MAN WITH WHOM SHE ELOPED.

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—News was received here yesterday from Syracuse that to Irene Bishop Ackerman, daughter of H. H. Long, a wealthy merchant, residing at No. 314 West Ninety-ninth street, had been granted a divorce from her husband, C. Fred Ackerman, who distinguished himself as a correspondent in China at the time of the Boxer uprisings.

Mrs. Ackerman is the most dashing of six sisters, who are all well known in society and characterized by their clever horsemanship. She married Mr. Ackerman clandestinely in Jersey City on May 9, 1903, after a brief courtship. It was not until three months later that the news of her marriage was broken to her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Ackerman lived together only three months after which divorce proceedings were instituted. Mrs. Ackerman is 21 years old and very beautiful.

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BOARD OF HEALTH

Receives Request From T. & S. Corporations

TO CLEAN OUT ITS MANY TENEMENTS

Corporation Formerly Did the Work Itself

The board of health at its regular meeting yesterday was notified by the Tremont & Suffolk mills to remove the rubbish from their tenement property in Tremont and Cabot streets.

It has been customary for years for the corporations to look after the sanitary conditions of their own property and if they all call upon the city to do the work it will mean a big additional expense to the department.

The master and journeymen plumbers' licenses recommended several weeks ago by the plumbing commissioners were granted.

Dr. W. B. Jackson, chairman, called to oder shortly after 4 o'clock and all three members of the board were present. After listening to the reading of the records by Agent Knapp it was voted to grant a license to a Mr. Smith to erect and maintain a stable for two horses in the rear of 93 Bellevue street, provided he installs proper sanitary arrangements and connects the stalls and drains directly with the sewer and will remove manure once a week.

Dr. Jackson then read the communication from the Tremont & Suffolk mills in regard to the removal by the city of rubbish, etc, from their tenement property.

In speaking on this matter Agent Knapp said it would not involve any great expense to remove rubbish from one corporation, but if other corporations asked for the same privileges they couldn't very well refuse them and that would necessitate an increase in the force of men. The matter was discussed at considerable length and it was finally voted to lay the matter on the table until the next meeting.

A petition for a license to build and maintain a stable for one horse in the rear of 34 Seventh street was laid over pending a view of the premises.

The board adjourned for two weeks.

THE MATHEWS

Will Participate in Big Temperance Parade

The regular meeting of the Mathew Temperance Institute was held last evening in its quarters in the Mansur block, and considerable business was transacted. President George L. Hunt was in the chair and two new members were admitted while three propositions were properly referred. The attendance of members at the meeting was quite large, many being drawn by the announcement that final action on the invitation from the Springfield Diocesan Total Abstinence union to participate in its annual field day in Clinton on Labor day was to be taken. The matter was discussed and finally it was deemed inadvisable to participate in the event in view of the big temperance parade to be held in Roxbury on Oct. 8th, in commemoration of the birthday of Fr. Mathew. This decision was reached, however, only after mature consideration in which much regret was expressed that it was impossible to accept the Clinton invitation. The officers of the Springfield union were particularly desirous of having the local society at the celebration and the unfavorable action of last night will undoubtedly cause much regret among many societies in Western Massachusetts, where the local society is well known.

It was formally voted by the society last night to participate in annual parade of the C. T. A. U. of the archdiocese to be held in Roxbury on the eighth of October, the union having previously voted at a special convention to hold the parade in that place. The Lowell Military band was chosen to head the Mathews on that day. A committee on arrangements for the local society was chosen as follows: President George L. Hunt, chairman; John J. Lyons, John A. McKenna, Wm. F. Boyle, Michael J. Nestor, Walter E. Flaherty, James J. Hancock, Frank B. Looney, Vice-Pres. John V. Donoghue, Bernard M. McNally, secretary.

The enthusiasm manifested by the local members in the forthcoming parade gives assurances that the Mathews will have no difficulty in upholding the honor they have for many years held as New England's greatest Catholic temperance body.

A communication was received last evening from Secretary Devine of the parade committee, giving much information of the proposed demonstration. While the parade will be held under the auspices of the Archdiocesan union, the bulk of the work devolves upon the St. Patrick's T. A. and L. society of that place of which Thomas F. Phelan, well known in Lowell, is president.

The invitation from the Y. M. C. I. to participate in the relay race to be held in conjunction with that organization's field day in the near future has been accepted by the society and the track team will now settle down to active training with a view to capturing first prize.

The singing club of the Institute which has met with such tremendous success will soon resume its rehearsals after a vacation of several months. Mr. James A. Murphy, the well known musician, will continue to act as director for the club.

POLICE BOARD.

The regular meeting of the police board was held last evening and licenses were granted as follows:

Auctioneer—John J. Gray, 267 Central street.

Intelligence office—Harry P. Nichols, 90 Prescott street.

Pool and billiards—E. S. Tabor, 129 Middle street; George H. Prempas, 412-416 Suffolk street.

Express wagons—John Brady, 155 Church street; George W. Thornington, 5 Arthur street.

Common victualler—Anna Ducharme, 691 Middlesex street; Mary E. Marston, 253 Dutton street; Mary Keyes, 27-28 Robeson street.

Hawker and peddler—Henry Lewis, Westford, Mass.; Peter Healey, 424 Varnum avenue.

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DOMESTIC TRADE

OPERATION OF THE PRESENT YEAR COMPARED WITH THE PAST.

The end of the first half of the current year affords opportunity for comparing commercial operations in domestic trade with those of 1903. Reports made to the Department of Commerce and Labor through its Bureau of Statistics by commercial organizations in various parts of the country furnish data of value in gauging volume of business in representative sections and centers of the country. The end of the half year shows that to June 30 receipts at twelve primary grain markets were considerably below those of last season. The total receipts of grain during June were six million bushels below those of June, 1903, when 49,504,166 bushels were reported, compared with 43,652,671 bushels this June. For six months this year receipts were 268,193,781 bushels and 283,516,361 bushels last year, showing a shortage of about 5 per cent. The markets which have thus far in the year increased their receipts over those of the first half of 1903 are Cincinnati, Kansas City, Louisville and Minneapolis.

Chicago and the four great markets on the Missouri closed the first half of the year with 16,655,895 head of live stock received since January 1. Last year's corresponding total was 15,122,661 head, against 14,958,471 head in 1902. Of this year's total 7,923,317 head were credited to Chicago, comprising 48 per cent; Kansas City received 2,507,459 head, or 15 per cent; Omaha, 2,517,616 head, or 15 per cent; St. Louis, 2,194,884 head, or 13 per cent, and St. Joseph, 1,512,559 head, or 9 per cent.

Top prices of cattle, hogs, and sheep at Chicago averaged as follows for six months: For cattle weighing 1200 to 1350 pounds, $5.74 per hundred; last year's average was $5.58 for the corresponding twenty-six weeks, and that of 1902 was $7.35. The abrupt lowering of prices from 1902 to 1903, amounting to 24 per cent, was discouraging to producers, though the price thus far in the current year has been 16 cents better than in 1903. Prices of hogs for the first half of the past three years were $5.26 in 1904, $7.04 in 1903, and $7 in 1902. Prices of western sheep varied from $5.12 per hundred in 1904 to $5.66 in 1903 and $6.50 in 1902. In 1902 3,005,767 sheep were received at the five markets in the six months, while this year's arrivals amounted to 4,059,016 head, or an increase of one-third over that of 1902.

The season's business on the Great Lakes with few exceptions failed to reach the volume of the preceding year. For six months just past 6,654,212 tons of freight were received, compared with 19,074,608 tons in 1903, and 15,135,978 tons in 1902, indicating that the current season's operations to date were a little more than one-third as large as in either of the two preceding years. A noteworthy exception in lake business is the quantity of grain and flaxseed moved. Receipts for the month of June, 1904, were 15,625,497 bushels, compared with 14,987,670 bushels last year and 10,218,115 bushels in 1902. The vessel movement for six months included 15,561 arrivals, of 12,625,546 tons. A year ago the total was 25,315,438 tons.

At the North Atlantic seaboard receipts of grain at five leading ports of export, including flour and meal reduced to bushels, for six months were 81,258,579 bushels, compared with 137,074,465 bushels in the first half of 1903. A comparison of receipts and shipments at the different ports shows that the past year has been one of a much larger proportionate local consumption. Boston for example, received 12,621,261 bushels of grain and shipped 6,600,641 bushels, of 52 per cent. of the receipts. Last year 69 per cent. of receipts were shipped on a much larger total of receipts. At Philadelphia shipments were 62 per cent. of receipts this year and 73 per cent. last year. At Baltimore, the current year's shipments were 70 per cent of receipts in contrast with 77 per cent. in 1903.

Vessel movements on the Atlantic seaboard, including both coastwise and foreign, do not seem to have had a degree of activity equal to that of 1902. During the last half year 12,419 vessels arrived at the three ports of Boston, New York, and Philadelphia, compared with 13,828 vessels a year ago.

Coastwise shipments of coal from New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Norfolk and Newport News during the month of June fell somewhat short of the corresponding tonnage for May. The general total was 2,906,809 tons, of which 1,634,087 tons were bituminous and 1,272,722 tons were anthracite. For the six months ending with June, 16,408,264 tons were carried, of which 8,769,456 tons were bituminous and 7,638,709 tons anthracite. During the six months ending June, 2,506,368 tons of coal were received at Boston, chiefly from coastwise sources, compared with 3,056,972 tons in the preceding year. Of the former total 1,056,771 tons were anthracite and 1,450,597 tons bituminous.

The cotton movement in southern territory during ten months of the crop year ending with June 30 failed to reach the ten million bale mark. The total available supply, including sight receipts and stock left over from last year, was 9,996,125 bales. Last year the receipts to the corresponding date were 10,739,877 bales, or three-fourths of a million bales in advance. Domestic spinners, north and south, have not quite equaled last year's requirements in their takings, and exports have fallen about 700,000 bales behind those of last year.

Gulf ports have shared with other seaboard markets in the decrease in receipts of grain. At New Orleans 8,067,959 bushels were received in six months this year, and 21,330,629 bushels in 1903. Various explanations have been offered for this change, among which are the relatively larger domestic demand in the east for consumption, increase in the quantity of winter wheat shipped from south of the Missouri to Northwestern milling account, and the active demand for feeding purposes in the Central West.

Receipts of grain at San Francisco, including flour reduced to bushels, in six months, were 8,385,306 bushels, in contrast with 9,622,839 bushels in 1903.

On the Pacific coast 2,338,704 barrels of flour were shipped from Portland, Seattle, and Tacoma for oriental destinations only in twelve months ending June 30, compared with 1,780,606 barrels last year.

A heavy coasting trade in lumber has been carried on from north coast sources of supply. Arrivals of redwood, pine, and fir at California points in June were 104,565,643 feet, and the total for the six months was 537,602,271 feet. This total is the result of a progressive increase since 1901, when the first six months' shipments amounted to 311,520,987 feet. During 35 weeks to June 30, southern California shipped 25,519 cars of citrus fruit, compared with 19,302 cars in 1903 and 15,316 cars in 1902. Deciduous fruit shipments were much less than a year ago, 605 cars having been sent east up to July 5, 1904, compared with 981 cars last year.

CIGAR STORE

NOT PROPER PLACE TO WED THIS COUPLE THOUGHT.

NEW YORK, Aug. 2—A man and woman who said they wanted to get married went hunting for a magistrate in Jersey City yesterday and found Justice of the Peace Frank P. Lehane talking politics in a Montgomery street cigar store. The man, who described himself as Edwin Moore, 25 years old, of 130 West Ninetieth street, New York, whispered in the justice's ear, and Lehane replied:

"Certainly, we can perform the ceremony right here. Join hands.

The young woman, who said she was Miss Ella May Quimby of Asbury Park, objected. "I can't get married in such a place as this," she said. "Let's go somewhere else."

"Very well," said Lehane. "I have a friend around the corner. We'll borrow his office. He's Horace H. Farrier, a financier and real estate man."

"That will be fine," murmured Miss Quimby as the party started for 1 Cooper place. Mr. Farrier placed his office at their disposal and acted as a witness. The other witness was William O'Neill, a bartender, who was called in from an adjacent saloon.

"I don't blame the girl for not wanting to get married in a cigar store," said Bill Waddell the cigar clerk. "The last man Lehane married here got six years for bigamy."

CORTELYOU'S CHOICE

REPUBLICAN CHAIRMAN NAMES HIS COMMITTEES.

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—Chairman George B. Cortelyou of the republican national committee, yesterday selected the men who are to serve on the executive committee during the coming campaign. The committee is divided equally between Chicago and New York, four members being allotted to each headquarters.

The following are the members of the executive committee as announced by Mr. Cortelyou last night:

Eastern headquartes, New York—Charles F. Brooker of Connecticut, N. B. Scott of West Virginia, Franklin Murphy of New Jersey, William L. Ward of New York.

Western headquarters, Chicago—Harry S. New of Indiana, Frank O. Lowden of Illinois, R. B. Schneider of Nebraska, David W. Mulvane of Kansas.

Director of speakers' bureau, Western headquarters—James A. Tawney of Minnesota.

The chairman, secretary, treasurer and sergeant-at-arms of the national committee are also the officers of the executive committee.

CUT HIS THROAT

Man Attempted Suicide on Electric Car

LYNN, Aug. 3.—With his throat cut from ear to ear and windpipe severed Henry Kleine of St. Louis was found riding in an electric car yesterday afternoon. He was unconscious and it is believed cannot recover from the wounds.

Recovering his senses Kleine said he had cut his throat with a razor, and that he committed the deed near Marblehead and had ridden on the electric car to the Swampscott monument before discovered. He threw the weapon away along the road.

Kleine is 24 years old, and says he arrived at Boston Sunday, coming from Albany on a freight train. His parents are dead and being despondent he decided to commit suicide, selecting an electric car as the place.

The car, which left Marblehead at 2 was crowded, and on the seat with Kleine sat three women and a man, with Kleine on the outside, and nothing wrong was noticed until Kleine partly fell and acted strangely. Then it was noticed that blood showed on his throat. To one of the passengers he said he had attempted to commit suicide.

Conductor R. W. Hersey and motorman A. T. Blaisdell went to the man's assistance and the car was hurriedly run to the Swampscott postoffice. Here Kleine was placed on the sidewalk and later taken to the office of Dr. Hunt, where a number of stitches were taken in the wound.

No arteries had been severed or else, the doctors say, the man would have surely died, as they thought he had been at least an hour bleeding. Kleine was taken to the Lynn hospital. He says he spent all his money and has no recollection how he got to Marblehead or where he committed the deed.

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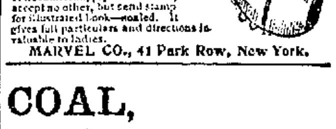

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PACKER'S CLAIMS

Not Borne Out by Conditions at Stock Yards

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.--The meat packers, whose union employes are on strike, claimed to be in a better position last night than at any time since the struggle began. When asked for the packers' side of the situation last night, Mr. Meeker, general manager for Armour & Co., said:

"The strike may be said to be near an end. At the rate we are securing new employes, it will be only a matter of a short time until everything will be in normal condition with us once more. When the butcher workmen repudiated their agreement and renewed the strike, after signing an agreement to submit all grievances to arbitration, we made a special effort to win the fight, and we have been a great deal more successful than the most sanguine of the employers had hoped for. The old employes' places have been filled so promptly that very few of the strikers will ever be able to get back to their old places, and those who do will come back as individuals."

This assertion was made by Mr. Meeker after the packers had brought in during the day, according to their estimates, 1200 new men, and another official of Armour & Co. had said that the packing firms were doing nearly 60 per cent. of their usual business. Police reports of the number of new employes arriving at the yards bear out in a large measure the packers' statements.

Despite these declarations of the packers' reports, the pens at the stock yards are filled with cattle and hogs that buyers make no bid for in the market. According to commission men and officials of the union stock yards and transit company, out of the live stock received Monday and yesterday over 19,000 sheep and 10,000 hogs were reshipped and unsold stock is rapidly accumulating in the pens. Twelve thousand hogs remained unsold last night and the prospect of large receipts today is causing the live stock handlers to fear a swamping of their facilities. According to commission men there are thousands of hold-overs in all departments of the yards, and the cattle in the pens will not all be out of the way by Saturday night. In the face of all this, shippers are constantly forwarding stock to Chicago and the indications last night were that there will be a decided slump in prices of live stock.

It is on this statement and what further information their own men have been able to secure, that the strike leaders base their claims that the packers are still badly crippled, notwithstanding statements to the contrary. A considerable number of strike breakers who arrived in Chicago yesterday were dissuaded from going to work by pickets.

In a statement given out by the packers last night, it is asserted that out of the 25,526 union men who went on strike, 3056 have returned to work. These desertions from the unions added to the new employes secured since the strike began, it is declared, makes the total number of men now at work 15,848.

On published statements that the union leaders intended protesting to the city health department that the housing of employes on the packing plants was a violation of the city ordinance, an inspector from the sanitary bureau investigated all the plants yesterday, but nothing was found that would warrant the department taking any steps against the packers.

Two new commissary stores, making four altogether, were opened by the strikers yesterday. Crowds surrounded both places, securing an apportionment of food.

In view of erroneous statements leading to a belief that the live stock handlers' union ordered its members to return to work in the stock yards in violation of orders from the officers of the Meat Cutters' and Butchers' union, the Live Stock Handlers' union has adopted a resolution advising the public "That our return to work was due to explicit instructions from President Donnelly and his associates; and that should the officers of the Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butcher Workmen of North America deem it wise to again order us to participate in the strike, we hold ourselves in readiness to respond to the call."

The packers yesterday appealed for police protection for their distributing plants, the union pickets having turned back all the retail butchers, with wagons after supplies of meat. Police were despatched to prevent further interference with the retailers.

The first eviction resulting from the stock yards' strike was made yesterday. A crowd of strike sympathizers stoned two constables who put Mrs. Mary Anderson out of her home in Forty-fourth street for non-payment of rent. Mrs. Anderson's husband, a striker, had left Chicago in search of work. The wife was ill in bed when she and her household goods were carried out by constables. Mrs. Anderson was cared for by neighbors. Before the arrival of the police the crowd had wrecked the cottage from which the woman had been evicted.

BENJAMIN F. BUTLER

NEPHEW OF THE LATE GENERAL IS DEAD.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.--Benjamin Franklin Butler, a theatrical writer, died yesterday of brain fever at Rivercrest sanitarium, Astoria, after a short illness.

Mr. Butler was the grandnephew of General B. F. Butler, whose namesake he was. His father, the late George Butler, was for nine years United States consul at Cairo, Egypt, where Frank Butler, as he was generally known, was born. His mother is Rose Eytinge, an actress. A few months ago Mr. Butler married Miss Alice Johnston, also an actress. She was with him when he died.

IN BALL DRESS

WOMAN MADE TRIP ACROSS THE SEA.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.--A young woman, who made the trip from Antwerp on the steamer Kroonland in a ball dress and without baggage, is now held on board that vessel awaiting permission of the immigration authorities to land.

She gave her name as Mrs. Constance Phelan and her last address as Cheltenham, Eng. The ship's officers know nothing about her except that she came aboard at Antwerp followed by two men, each bearing a case of mineral water.

She declared that she was going to the hot springs of North Carolina, but had only $4 in money. She said she did not know exactly why she came to America, as she had heard the baths were better in South Africa and she would have preferred to go there.

Her father, she said, was James Hunter, a prominent chemist of Aberdeen, Scot., and her mother was an American whose maiden name was Laura Prince. She showed a letter from Ikin and Chowther, solicitors of Lincoln's Inn Fields, London. The letter declared that the woman had an annuity of £2000 and that her debts would be cared for.

Get ready for the excursion on August 11th to Old Orchard via the Boston & Maine railroad. The round trip rate is $1.50.

WOMAN RESCUED

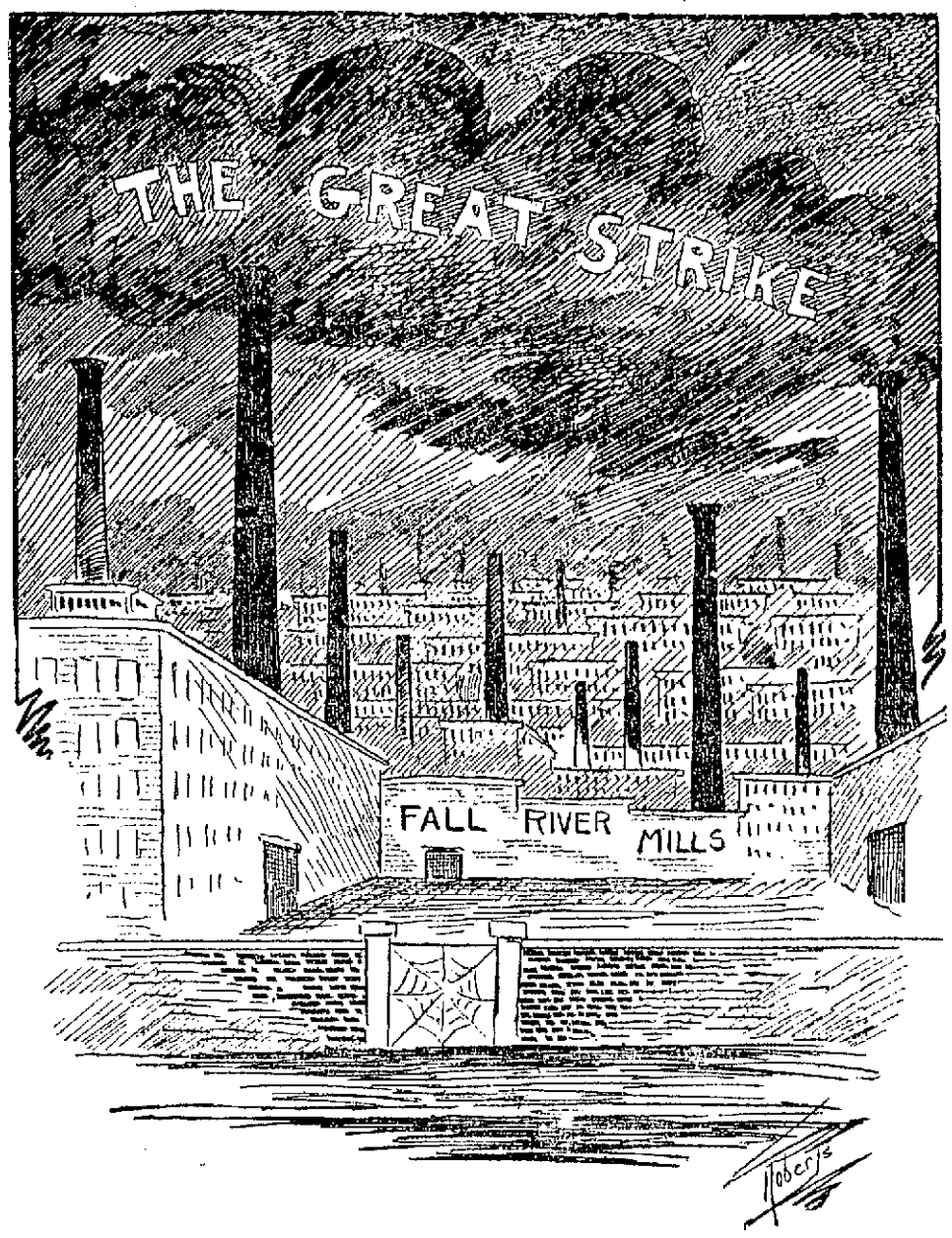
MRS. FLANAGAN TAKEN FROM BURNING HOUSE.

BOSTON, Aug. 3.--Patrolmen Angell and Varney of division 10, distinguished themselves at a fire that started in the kitchen of Mary Flanagan's home, 1584 Tremont street, Roxbury, yesterday afternoon, by rescuing Mrs. Flanagan at considerable risk to themselves.

The blaze was discovered shortly after 3.30 by one of the occupants of the house. Mrs. Flanagan's apartments are on the upper floor, and when the flames were seen, the other people in the house became greatly excited, and Mrs. Flanagan, who is about 75 years old, was forgotten in the rush for safety.

An alarm was given from box 229, followed within five minutes by another from the same box. Both officers hastened to the fire, and, learning that Mrs. Flanagan was in the house, dashed upstairs to her assistance. They fought their way to the kitchen through the heavy smoke. They brought her out to the street, where she soon recovered, and was afterwards cared for by friends.

The fire was confined to the apartment in which it originated, and the second alarm was needless. The loss was about $300.



THE DESERTED VILLAGE

(With Apologies to Goldsmith.)

Sweet, smiling village, loveliest of the lawn,
Thy sports are fled and all thy charms withdrawn
Amidst thy bowers the tyrant's hand is seen
And desolation saddens all thy green.
One only master grasps thy whole domain;
No sign of tillage marks thy gloomy plain,
Along thy desert walks, once gay with life,
Is naught but painful evidence of strife;
Lost are thy joys; in sunken ruin all;
The long grass soon will top thy mouldering wall,
And trembling, shrinking from the tyrant's hand,
Far, far away, thy children leave the land.

WAS FOUND DYING

Alleged Gambler Killed For Gain

NEW BRITAIN, Conn., Aug. 3.--Charles Bosworth, who was found battered and unconscious in his room in Ward's block on Main street at noon yesterday, died in the New Britain hospital about 4 o'clock without uttering a word upon which the police may work to clear up his death. He was known here as a policy man and gambler, and it is said he also ran places in Springfield, Mass., and Danbury, Conn.

Bosworth was heard moaning in his room and the police broke in the door. They found him lying on the floor unconscious in a pool of blood. He had been struck on the back of the head with a blunt instrument. The skull was shockingly fractured. He was not a strong man, was lame and carried at all times a heavy cane. This cane was missing when his body was found yesterday afternoon, and it is possible that he was the victim of blows from his own stick.

Robbery was the motive. He was known to carry $2000. Not a cent was left. The pockets were turned inside out and his diamond ring and gold watch were gone.

Ample evidence was found in the room to show that Bosworth carried on a policy-plying business. He had rented three rooms in Ward's block on July 1. He was here before, but the police did not know of his resuming business until after the tragedy of today.

Bosworth was 53 years old. He has an invalid wife living at 50 Hungerford street, Hartford. He also had two brothers, Edward, living in Amherst, and L. H., jr. Providence.

The police believe that it was some person associated with Bosworth that committed the crime. The only clue is furnished by George Gilson of Maple street, who says he saw a man leaving Bosworth's place about noon. He says the man was much agitated and describes him as 45 years old, with gray hair and mustache. In the morning Bosworth told a boy who was measuring the window for curtains not to let anybody in without a key, and he kept the spring fastened on the door.

The Old Orchard excursion via the Boston & Maine railroad is on August 11th. The round trip rate is $1.50.

HARD ON CHILDREN

INFANT MORTALITY GREATLY INCREASED BY DOG DAYS.

More than 60 per cent. of the deaths in this city within the last eight days have been among the infants. The week of July 25 showed in the city clerk's report 52 deaths and of these 31 were infants. During the four last days the per cent. has been largely increased.

$1.50 round trip excursion to Old Orchard via Boston & Maine railroad, August 11th.

GAMBLING RAID

WOULD-BE HERO LED WAY FOR THE POLICE.

NEW YORK, Aug 3.--Detectives raised a ladder to a second-story window of an alleged poolroom in Washington street, when F. H. Pothen of Holyoke, Mass., thinking a fire was in progress, hurried up the ladder and jumped through the window to save life.

The detectives followed and found Pothen standing among the trapped gamblers. He was arrested but upon explaining that he did not intend to give the alarm in the poolroom, was discharged.

The police found 50 men in the place, some of whom were playing klondike, some shaking dice and others waiting for the returns from the races. All were lined up and their names were taken. Six were arrested and the others were permitted to go.

Matthew Stripp, the alleged proprietor, was arrested on warrants charging him with maintaining a gambling house and a poolroom. His brother, Thomas Stripp, was charged with aiding him. Bart Donovan, John Malley, John H. Mulhall and Thomas Clark were the others taken.

Matthew Stripp was standing in front of the building when the police came up. He ran into Washington market, where he was arrested. Thomas Stripp was charged with maintaining a gambling house in Church street a few months ago. He pleaded guilty and paid a fine of $25.

On the ground floor of the building Peter Hale conducts a saloon and restaurant. Capt. Burns had men stationed in front of the saloon, believing that a gambling house was being conducted on the second floor. Two weeks ago Mr. Hale obtained an injunction against Capt. Burns from Justice Gaynor, restraining the captain from keeping pickets in front of his saloon by alleging that it damaged his business.

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HE MAY ATTEND

President May Come to Boston

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3--Atty. Gen. Moody yesterday escorted to the White House Lieut. Gov. Guild, Gen Blackmar, Col. E. H. Haskell and Col. Eli W. Hall to ask the President to attend the G. A. R. encampment at Boston, Aug. 15 to 20, and review the great parade on Aug. 16. The president received his visitors very cordially and told of the great delight it would give him to be present at the parade, but he said he could not definitely say at this time whether he would be able to accept the invitation, as he had many engagements from now until Aug. 20, when he returns to Oyster Bay. If it is possible for him to change any of these engagements, he would be glad to and would go to Boston, but it was not certain he could do so.

Although the president did not positively say that he could not go to Boston, the impression prevails here that he will decide not to go. Some of his advisers are opposed to his going to Boston because if he reviews the G. A. R. parade he will be expected to review other parades, and if he should decline to do so he would be accused of showing favoritism. This might injure him at this critical time in his career.

Furthermore, if he goes to Boston to review the G. A. R., he may be accused of doing it for political effect, which might also do him damage. In view of all these considerations, it is a strong probability that the president will decline the invitation.

JEWELRY TAKEN

ROOMS OF NEWPORT COTTAGE WERE RANSACKED.

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 3--A bold robbery was committed some time last evening at the summer residence of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Van Horne of Boston on Greenough place. The thief gathered up numerous pieces of small jewelry and got away without being discovered or even heard. The police have not yet been able to obtain a single clew.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Horne were entertaining at dinner while the burglar worked and did not go to their rooms till late in the evening. Then they found that their drawers had been ransacked and the several jewel cases cleaned out. Fortunately Mrs. Van Horne wore her most valuable pieces of jewelry at dinner.

Mr and Mrs. Van Horne, who have lived here two years, are occupying the Porter villa in Greenough place, which last summer was the seat of the British embassy. It is inclosed by trees of thick foliage.

The articles stolen were one diamond scarf pin, one lady's ring set with diamonds and pearls, one scarf pin set with four pearls, one gold double snake scarf pin set with diamonds and rubies on the head of the snake, one gun metal watch, one lady's gold and blue enamel watch.

AGAINST DIVORCE

Strong Words at Catholic Federation Convention

SERMON BY REV. FR. O'BRIEN OF TOLEDO

Big Gathering Assembled at Detroit, Mich.

DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 3.--Plans for amendments to the constitution which, if adopted, might result in an entire reorganization of the American federation of Catholic societies will be presented by Peter Wallrath of Evansville, Ind., editor of Das Sternenbanner and state president for Indiana of the German Catholic union.

Mr. Wadlrath's plan, which he presents at the request of his state, would make the active members of the federation connected directly with the main body.

Members are divided into "active" and "passive" members, the latter being those who are connected with the federation through one of the affiliated societies.

Active members are those who sign the federation membership roll directly and pay the annual fee of 50 cents. The plan aims to solve what has been a great problem with the leaders of the federation, parish organization.

The convention was opened yesterday when the Knights of St. John, with their band, formed to lead the procession of clerical and lay delegates to St. Mary's German Catholic church.

In the sanctuary Archbishop Elder sat in canopied throne, and Archbishop Messmer beside him. Opposite was the throne of Bishop Foley, canopied in purple.

Present in the sanctuary were Bishop Maes of Covington, Bishop Hartley of Columbus, Bishop McFaul of Trenton and Bishop Stang of Fall River, Mass., with Mgrs. Lavelle and Teeling, domestic prelates of the pope.

At the consecration an extraordinary scene took place. While all others knelt with bowed heads in the nave, and in the sanctuary the heads of the priests were bowed, the Knights of St. John stood, doffed their helmets, drew their swords and held them forward as ancient knights swearing fealty. The transept of the church glittered with bared blades. The scene was impressive, and thrilling as it was strange.

The sermon of Fr. O'Brien of Toledo, O., whose address was expected to define the purpose of the federation and its convention, was delivered in a clear, rich voice and in an earnest manner.

"Render, therefore, unto Caesar the things that are Caesar's," he chose for his text, "and unto God the things that are God's."

Among other things, Fr. O'Brien said:

"In this scientific and material age people have almost forgotten the end for which they were created. This is an age of material progress, but as people progress materially they retrograde spiritually. Material progress cannot save a nation; religion alone can do it."

He then discussed the conflict between the authority of the church and that of the state, saying, "The church cannot sanction unjust or bad laws. It cannot sanction the law of divorce because it is against the law of God. The state has no right to enact the law of divorce. I say it as a citizen loyal to the government.

"The church cannot sanction the present public school system of the country because it eliminates religion from its teachings. I know that this is an unpopular stand, but we must make it because we are right and the state is wrong.

"Our non-Catholic brethren know us not. They look upon us with prejudiced eyes and imagined there is something in the teaching of the church that weakens our loyalty to the government. I defy any man to impugn the loyalty of Catholics.

"Though the number of Catholics in this country is 12,000,000 we have less influence than some of the weaker sects. Why have Catholics so little influence despite the fact that we number 2,000,000 voters? It is because of our cowardice in expressing our opinions. We are afraid to open our mouths in defence of the church and her doctrines, because we are on the unpopular side.

"You will never get anything by keeping silent. You must speak out and advance your ideas; you must fight—but not, thank God, with deadly weapons. The object of your convention is a high and noble one.

"You must lay down a fighting program for the future and carry it out."

At the afternoon session Secretary Anthony Matre of Cincinnati read his report. It showed a gain during the past year of one state federation and two national Catholic societies.

The American federation now comprises a total of 10 national organizations in its membership and has 11 state federations and 300 county federations. The total membership of the organizations which are affiliated with the federation is 1,500,000 in 39 states and Porto Rico, and 75 of the bishops of the country have given their approval to the federation. Secretary Matre read the following cablegram from Pope Pius X:

"Pius has received the filial greetings of the American federation of Catholic societies and joyfully sends his apostolic blessing."

Secretary Matre also read letters from Cardinal Gibbons, Archbishop Ryan of Philadelphia, Archbishop Christie of Portland, Ore., Archbishop Farley of New York and a number of bishops from all parts of the country.

After the reading of reports, Bishop Stang of Fall River, Mass., addressed the delegates, and Mgr. Teeling of Lynn, Mass., urged the delegates to take some action looking toward the proper observance of the Sabbath.

John Grass, a Sioux Indian, also made an address in his native tongue, which was interpreted by Chief High Eagle.

Last night a mass meeting was held at which Bishop McFaul of Trenton, N. J., Nicholas Gonner of Dubuque, Ia., and Thomas B. Minahan of New York city, national president of the federation, made addresses on the aims of the federation.

LEG BROKEN

WOMAN TOOK SLIDE DOWN "CHILKOOT PASS."

NEW HAVEN, Aug. 3.--Mrs. John Farry of New York city, while sliding down "Chilkoot Pass" at Savin Rock yesterday, broke a leg between the knee and the ankle. "Chilkoot Pass" is a polished board slide 75 feet long, full of bumps, at the bottom of which there is a big mattress. It is one of the attractions at the "White City," which is the Coney Island of Connecticut.

Mrs. Farry took the slide on a dare. She is a large woman and she wore a silk dress. She went down like a shot and landed on the mattress with a scream of pain. Her foot caught in a fold of the hair mat and her leg was broken half way between the ankle and the knee.

ASKED MONEY

DERANGED MAN CAUSED SENSATION AT LENOX.

PITTSFIELD, Aug. 3.--Lenox was much alarmed yesterday over the appearance of a deranged man at the country residence of the British ambassador, Sir Mortimer Durand. About noon a wild-eyed, untidy stranger presented himself at the embassy and asked for money. He made a harangue when refused, and said he admired the assassin of Minister Von Plehve, and that some day he would throw a bomb himself.

He was dissuaded from entering the embassy and after a time went away, to reappear later at the residence of Miss Adele Kneeland of New York, where he again demanded money.

A contractor who was on the ground attempted to detain the fellow, but he ran and got away. The police were notified and searched the town for the man, who had made good his escape.

BILLERICA

About thirty fishermen from the village went fishing down in Boston harbor yesterday on the Steamer King Philip, but the fishes evidently had an off day for they refused to do much biting and very few of the followers of Izaak Walton brought home any fish that they had caught themselves. It is understood though that the markets in Atlantic avenue did a pretty good business after the steamer reached the wharf at night. The largest catch was made by Joseph Durfee ,who landed a cod weighing 8½ pounds.

Roland Conway of this town, an employe of the Boston Elevated railway, is on a two weeks' vacation, which he will spend at the different beaches along the New England coast.

Misses Mabel and Jennie Morris and Lillian Buckley are at Revere beach.

Mrs. Chas. S. Maxwell, Mrs. John Wozencroft and Mrs. L. W. Buckley and family are spending the week at Revere.

Miss Helen Hennessy, Louise and Teresa Dean of Salem street will be the guests of Harold Hennessy at Kennebunkport, Me., for the remainder of the summer.

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JOHN J. HOGAN, Notary Public.

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CHAPIN FOR STATE TREASURER.

The republicans this year are to have a contest for the office of treasurer. Among the leading candidates is Mayor Arthur B. Chapin of Holyoke. For six years he has been mayor of Holyoke and during that time he has accomplished many reforms and put the city upon a better financial footing than it held for many years previous. He is a strong candidate for the office of treasurer. He was first mentioned as a candidate for governor but it seems that he has decided to be satisfied with a subordinate office.

PLEHVE WAS GENERALLY DESPISED.

While the press of this country condemns assassination and condemns the anarchists for rejoicing over the assassination of Minister Plehve, not a single newspaper is heard to say a good word for the victim of the assassin's bomb. It seems that he made himself feared and dreaded wherever known. When such a man is stricken down it is not usual to hear any great lamentation for his fate but that does not mean an approval of assination or an endorsement of anarchy.

HIGHER TAX RATES REPORTED.

Generally throughout the state there has been an increase in the tax rate without any decrease in the valuation. This state of affairs will naturally cause criticism of the officials and opposition in the coming elections on the ground of economy, but still the upward tendency in the tax rate goes on. This is particularly objectionable in cities in which the value of real estate is at a low ebb. Lowell is in this class of cities and any increase in the tax rate already far too high will be regarded in the nature of a calamity.

FRANCE AND THE VATICAN.

Some people criticize Pope Pius X on account of his bluntness towards France. They say he is less diplomatic than was his predecessor, Pope Leo XIII. Perhaps he is, but even so, he is right in refusing to permit the French branch of the church to be ruled by politicians, such as Premier Combes. Any action on the part of His Holiness that will relieve the church of the incubus of political carping and domination, however undiplomatic it may be will be justified in view of the present subservient condition of the church in France. Better have the church free to pursue her mission even though she lose $8,000,000 a year in the withdrawal of the government allowance stipulated in the Concordat. The church will never be free from political domination until she is self-sustaining and wholly independent of government support.

The rupture between the church and the French government is said to be complete, but it will never be complete until the Concordat is abolished. The sooner that is accomplished the better will it be for the church.

HOW FIRES ARE STARTED BY ELECTRIC WIRES.

Electric wires constitute one of the most frequent causes of fires. There is no doubt that wires were responsible for the fire in E. L. White's mansion on Monday night. When wires close together become charged by the induction of a lightning storm, the return current from the trolley lines or any other cause, the current often flashes across the narrow space burning any inflammable substance in its path. In this way some of the most mysterious fires originate. It is all through defective electric construction. Some so-called electricians know so little about their business that they are likely to arrange the wires in the manner best calculated to start a fire. Thus the proprietor has not only to pay the electrician's bill but suffer loss from the fire started it may be through the electrician's stupidity. We do not refer to the White residence in particular nor do we deny that sometimes where the construction is perfect circumstances will combine to produce the spark necessary to start a fire.

It occasionally happens that after the wires are put in a lead or iron pipe or a steel ceiling will be brought into contact with them and this of course means the starting of a fire as soon as there is any electric disturbance.

HAGGARD'S MESSAGE FROM HIS DEAD DOG.

Rider Haggard, the novelist, has written a story about his dog which of course will give rise to a new cult, that might be designated the "Telephathy Between the Human Species and the Lower Animals."

Haggard's dog was killed in a railroad accident and before, on or after the accident the novelist had a nightmare in which he saw his dog dying and at the same time telling its master what had happened. Was it a coincidence? Was it canine telephathy or was it a direct spiritual communication from the departed canine?

These are the questions which now confront the society for psychical research, the same that after due investigation discovered that a ghost had length and breadth but no thickness.

It will soon be time to open a paradise for departed canines from which the owners still in the flesh can hold communication or mayhap call up the spirit of "Fido," "Diver," or "Primrose," or otherwise converse with the canines by telephathy, the alleged medium by which Rider Haggard was apprised of the fate of his dog.

A FARCICAL INDICTMENT.

It appears now that the officials of the Knickerbocker Steamship company are to go scot free. The federal grand jury has indicted Captain Shaick for manslaughter and the other officers for aiding and abetting. The officers of the company are held under the common law for aiding and abetting, a finding which in the opinion of competent lawyers can easily be set aside.

Thus the men who were pocketing the profits, whose unwillingness to incur any expense left the General Slocum unprovided with safety appliances are to be set free while their employe is to be the scapegoat.

The law under which Captain Shaick was indicted applies equally to the owners as the following section of the law clearly shows:—

Every captain, engineer, pilot, or other person employed on any steamboat or vessel, by whose misconduct, negligence or inattention to his duties on such vessel the life of any person is destroyed, and every owner, inspector, or other public officer, through whose fraud, connivance, misconduct or violation of law the life of any person is destroyed, shall be deemed guilty of manslaughter, and, upon conviction thereof before any circuit court of the United States, shall be sentenced to confinement at hard labor for a period of not more than ten years.

Why the federal grand jury should exempt the owners who are so specifically mentioned is difficult to see unless it be a scheme devised to set them free.

In case the owners of the General Slocum and the owners of the Iroquois theatre in Chicago go free, as is now quite likely to be the case, it will be in order for the representatives of the people to demand a change in the law, by which the owners of the property in which disasters occur shall be held mainly and directly responsible and so that the responsibility shall not be shifted upon the shoulders of some employe, who merely obeys the orders of his employer.

The people of this country are watching the outcome in both cases determined that if the law be not applied somebody will be blamed and that if the law be inadequate to hold the guilty parties, it will be quickly amended.

SEEN AND HEARD

A pocket roulette wheel built like an open face stem winding watch has appeared on the market. The dial is a reproduction of the surface of a roulette wheel. On a pivot in the center is a thin hand, steel colored. The mechanism is controlled by a spring which is wound by the stem, like a watch. Pressure on the stem releases the spring which sends the wheel spinning around the face of the dial with a motion so rapid that the hand becomes invisible. When the pressure is released the hand stops instantly.

A French woman who is a lover of books and is willing to spend money to see them preserved, offered a prize two years ago, for the best work on the insects that injure them and the best way of exterminating the pests.

The prize has just been awarded to C. V. Houlbert, whose essay, it is said, is the best that was ever written on the subject. He finds that there are sixty species of insects that injure books, the worst being the minute specimen called the anobium and its near allies. The so-called "death watch" belongs to this family. Fumigation is the means that he suggests as the best for exterminating them.

Here are the ages of Japanese generals:

Marquis Yamagata (Field Marshal) 66 years.
Marquis Oyama (Field Marshal), 62.
Count Nodzu, 63.
Count Katsura (Premier), 57.
Viscount Sakuma, 59.
Baron Kuroki (First Army), 60.
Baron Oku (Second Army), 58.
Baron Yamaguchi (Fifth Division), 58.
Baron Okazawa (Emperor's Aide de Camp), 60.
Baron Nogi (at the front), 55.
Baron Hasegawa (Imperial Bodyguard), 54.
Baron Nishi (Second Division), 58.
Baron Kodama (Chief of Staff), 52.
Prince Fushimi (First Division), 46.

Rider Haggard, the novelist, has sent to the London press a story concerning his dog, which will occasion considerable comment on the part of those who are interested in such matters. He says that on the night of July 10 he suffered a painful nightmare, and while still half conscious dreamed his favorite retriever was dying, that he himself was close to it and that the dog was endeavoring to tell him the facts. The body of the retriever was found in the river three days afterward, and an investigation seems to prove that it was killed on July 10 by a train about three hours before the novelist's dream.

The only doubt as to facts appears to be as to the time of the accident by which the animal met his death. If the "dream" came before the death the incident is to be set down as a dream which turned out to be true, something that is not uncommon. If, however,—and Mr. Haggard believes that he has proof that this is the case—the dream came at the moment of death, it will be difficult to dispute those who assert that this was an instance of telepathy between a dog and a human being which is without precedent so far as we know. If, on the other hand, the "dream" came after the dog's death, there will be many who will insist that a spiritual part of the dog communicated with the mind of his master.

Those who are disposed to ridicule such occurrences as these are superficial. There are events of human life whose mystery defies present solution and that there are means of communication between those peculiarly attached to each other has been amply proven if little understood. Such instances as that cited by Mr. Haggard are certainly worthy of honest consideration.

DIVORCE DECREE

WOMAN FREED FROM MAN WITH WHOM SHE ELOPED.

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—News was received here yesterday from Syracuse that to Irene Bishop Ackerman, daughter of H. H. Long, a wealthy merchant, residing at No. 311 West Ninety-ninth street, had been granted a divorce from her husband, C. Fred Ackerman, who distinguished himself as a correspondent in China at the time of the Boxer uprisings.

Mrs. Ackerman is the most dashing of six sisters, who are all well known in society and characterized by their clever horsemanship. She married Mr. Ackerman clandestinely in Jersey City on May 9, 1903, after a brief courtship. It was not until three months later that the news of her marriage was broken to her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Ackerman lived together only three months after which divorce proceedings were instituted. Mrs. Ackerman is 21 years old and very beautiful.

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BOARD OF HEALTH

Receives Request From T. & S. Corporations

TO CLEAN OUT ITS MANY TENEMENTS

Corporation Formerly Did the Work Itself

The board of health at its regular meeting yesterday was notified by the Tremont & Suffolk mills to remove the rubbish from their tenement property in Tremont and Cabot streets.

It has been customary for years for the corporations to look after the sanitary conditions of their own property and if they all call upon the city to do the work it will mean a big additional expense to the department.

The master and journeymen plumbers' licenses recommended several weeks ago by the plumbing commissioners were granted.

Dr. W. B. Jackson, chairman, called to oder shortly after 4 o'clock and all three members of the board were present. After listening to the reading of the records by Agent Knapp it was voted to grant a license to a Mr. Smith to erect and maintain a stable for two horses in the rear of 93 Bellevue street, provided he installs proper sanitary arrangements and connects the stalls and drains directly with the sewer and will remove manure once a week.

Dr. Jackson then read the communication from the Tremont & Suffolk mills in regard to the removal by the city of rubbish, etc, from their tenement property.

In speaking on this matter Agent Knapp said it would not involve any great expense to remove rubbish from one corporation, but if other corporations asked for the same privileges they couldn't very well refuse them and that would necessitate an increase in the force of men. The matter was discussed at considerable length and it was finally voted to lay the matter on the table until the next meeting.

A petition for a license to build and maintain a stable for one horse in the rear of 34 Seventh street was laid over pending a view of the premises.

The board adjourned for two weeks.

THE MATHEWS

Will Participate in Big Temperance Parade

The regular meeting of the Mathew Temperance Institute was held last evening in its quarters in the Mansur block, and considerable business was transacted. President George L. Hunt was in the chair and two new members were admitted while three propositions were properly referred. The attendance of members at the meeting was quite large, many being drawn by the announcement that final action on the invitation from the Springfield Diocesan Total Abstinence union to participate in its annual field day in Clinton on Labor day was to be taken. The matter was discussed and finally it was deemed inadvisable to participate in the event in view of the big temperance parade to be held in Roxbury on Oct. 8th, in commemoration of the birthday of Fr. Mathew. This decision was reached, however, only after mature consideration in which much regret was expressed that it was impossible to accept the Clinton invitation. The officers of the Springfield union were particularly desirous of having the local society at the celebration and the unfavorable action of last night will undoubtedly cause much regret among many societies in Western Massachusetts, where the local society is well known.

It was formally voted by the society last night to participate in annual parade of the C. T. A. U. of the archdiocese to be held in Roxbury on the eighth of October, the union having previously voted at a special convention to hold the parade in that place. The Lowell Military band was chosen to head the Mathews on that day. A committee on arrangements for the local society was chosen as follows: President George L. Hunt, chairman; John J. Lyons, John A. McKenna, Wm. F. Doyle, Michael J. Nestor, Walter E. Flaherty, James J. Hancock, Frank B. Looney, Vice-Pres. John V. Donoghue, Bernard M. McNally, secretary.

The enthusiasm manifested by the local members in the forthcoming parade gives assurances that the Mathews will have no difficulty in upholding the honor they have for many years held as New England's greatest Catholic temperance body.

A communication was received last evening from Secretary Devine of the parade committee, giving much information of the proposed demonstration. While the parade will be held under the auspices of the Archdiocesan union, the bulk of the work devolves upon the St. Patrick's T. A. and L. society of that place of which Thomas F. Phelan, well known in Lowell, is president.

The invitation from the Y. M. C. I. to participate in the relay race to be held in conjunction with that organization's field day in the near future has been accepted by the society and the track team will now settle down to active training with a view to capturing first prize.

The singing club of the institute which has met with such tremendous success will soon resume its rehearsals after a vacation of several months. Mr. James A. Murphy, the well known musician, will continue to act as director for the club.

POLICE BOARD.

The regular meeting of the police board was held last evening and licenses were granted as follows:

Auctioneer—John J. Gray, 267 Central street.

Intelligence office—Harry P. Nichols, 90 Prescott street.

Pool and billiards—E. S. Tabor, 129 Middle street, George H. Prempas, 412-416 Suffolk street.

Express wagons—John Brady, 155 Church street; George W. Thornington, 6 Arthur street.

Common victualler—Anna Ducharme, 691 Middlesex street; Mary E. Marston, 289 Dutton street; Mary Keyes, 27-28 Robeson street.

Hawker and peddler—Henry Lewis, Westford, Mass.; Peter Healey, 426 Varnum avenue.

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"The American Boy" Magazine free with every purchase of $5 in our Boys' Dept. The **August** number ready for delivery.

DOMESTIC TRADE

OPERATION OF THE PRESENT YEAR COMPARED WITH THE PAST.

The end of the first half of the current year affords opportunity for comparing commercial operations in domestic trade with those of 1903. Reports made to the Department of Commerce and Labor through its Bureau of Statistics by commercial organizations in various parts of the country furnish data of value in gauging volume of business in representative sections and centers of the country. The end of the half year shows that to June 30 receipts at twelve primary grain markets were considerably below those of last season. The total receipts of grain during June were six million bushels below those of June, 1903, when 49,504,166 bushels were reported, compared with 43,682,671 bushels this June. For six months this year receipts were 268,463,781 bushels and 283,516,361 bushels last year, showing a shortage of about 5 per cent. The markets which have thus far in the year increased their receipts over those of the first half of 1903 are Cincinnati, Kansas City, Louisville and Minneapolis.

Chicago and the four great markets on the Missouri closed the first half of the year with 16,655,895 head of live stock received since January 1. Last year's corresponding total was 15,122,661 head, against 14,958,471 head in 1902. Of this year's total 7,923,317 head were credited to Chicago, comprising 48 per cent; Kansas City received 2,507,459 head, or 15 per cent; Omaha, 2,517,616 head, or 15 per cent; St. Louis, 2,191,851 head, or 13 per cent, and St. Joseph, 1,512,599 head, or 9 per cent.

Top prices of cattle, hogs, and sheep at Chicago averaged as follows for six months: For cattle weighing 1200 to 1350 pounds, $5.74 per hundred; last year's average was $5.58 for the corresponding twenty-six weeks, and that of 1902 was $7.25. The abrupt lowering of prices from 1902 to 1903, amounting to 24 per cent, was discouraging to producers, though the price thus far in the current year has been 16 cents better than in 1903. Prices of hogs for the first half of the past three years were $5.26 in 1904, $7.04 in 1903, and $7 in 1902. Prices of western sheep varied from $5.12 per hundred in 1904 to $5.66 in 1903 and $5.59 in 1902. In 1903 3,005,767 sheep were received at the five markets in the six months, while this year's arrivals amounted to 4,350,616 head, or an increase of one-third over that of 1902.

The season's business on the Great Lakes with few exceptions failed to reach the volume of the preceding year. For six months just past 6,654,212 tons of freight were received, compared with 19,024,008 tons in 1903, and 15,135,975 tons in 1902, indicating that the current season's operations to date were a little more than one-third as large as in either of the two preceding years. A noteworthy exception in lake business is the quantity of grain and flaxseed moved. Receipts for the month of June, 1904, were 15,625,407 bushels, compared with 14,987,670 bushels last year and 10,218,145 bushels in 1902. The vessel movement for six months included 15,561 arrivals, of 12,625,515 tons. A year ago the total was 25,315,438 tons.

At the North Atlantic seaboard receipts of grain at five leading ports of export, including flour and meal reduced to bushels, for six months were 81,258,873 bushels, compared with 123,021,606 bushels in the first half of 1903. A comparison of receipts and shipments at the different ports shows that the past year has been one of a much larger proportionate local consumption. Boston for example, received 12,621,261 bushels of grain and shipped 6,606,611 bushels, of 52 per cent. of the receipts. Last year 65 per cent. of receipts were shipped on a much larger total of receipts. At Philadelphia shipments were 62 per cent. of receipts this year and 72 per cent. last year. At Baltimore the current year's shipments were 70 per cent of receipts in contrast with 77 per cent. in 1903.

Vessel movements on the Atlantic seaboard, including both coastwise and foreign, do not seem to have had a degree of activity equal to that of 1902. During the last half year 12,419 vessels arrived at the three ports of Boston, New York, and Philadelphia, compared with 13,825 vessels a year ago.

Coastwise shipments of coal from New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Norfolk and Newport News during the month of June fell somewhat short of the corresponding tonnage for May. The general total was 2,906,809 tons, of which 1,634,087 tons were bituminous and 1,272,722 tons were anthracite. For the six months ending with June, 16,408,254 tons were carried, of which 8,769,456 tons were bituminous and 7,638,798 tons anthracite. During the six months ending June, 2,506,368 tons of coal were received at Boston, chiefly from coastwise sources, compared with 3,056,972 tons in the preceding year. Of the former total 1,056,771 tons were anthracite and 1,450,697 tons bituminous.

The cotton movement in southern territory during ten months of the crop year ending with June 30 failed to reach the ten million bale mark. The total available supply, including sight receipts and stock left over from last year, was 9,996,125 bales. Last year the receipts to the corresponding date were 10,739,877 bales, or three-fourths of a million bales in advance. Domestic spinners, north and south, have not quite equaled last year's requirements in their takings, and exports have fallen about 700,000 bales behind those of last year.

Gulf ports have shared with other seaboard markets in the decrease in receipts of grain. At New Orleans 8,067,959 bushels were received in six months this year, and 21,330,829 bushels in 1903. Various explanations have been offered for this change, among which are the relatively larger domestic demand in the east for consumption, increase in the quantity of winter wheat shipped from south of the Missouri to Northwestern milling account, and the active demand for feeding purposes in the Central West.

Receipts of grain at San Francisco, including flour reduced to bushels, in six months, were 8,385,306 bushels, in contrast with 9,622,839 bushels in 1903.

On the Pacific coast 2,338,704 barrels of flour were shipped from Portland, Seattle, and Tacoma for oriental destinations only in twelve months ending June 30, compared with 1,780,606 barrels last year.

A heavy coasting trade in lumber has been carried on from north coast sources of supply. Arrivals of redwood, pine, and fir at California points in June were 104,565,643 feet, and the total for the six months was 537,602,271 feet. This total is the result of a progressive increase since 1901, when the first six months' shipments amounted to 311,530,987 feet. During 35 weeks to June 30, southern California shipped 25,519 cars of citrus fruit, compared with 19,302 cars in 1903 and 15,316 cars in 1902. Deciduous fruit shipments were much less than a year ago, 605 cars having been sent east up to July 5, 1904, compared with 951 cars last year.

CIGAR STORE

NOT PROPER PLACE TO WED THIS COUPLE THOUGHT.

NEW YORK, Aug. 2—A man and woman who said they wanted to get married went hunting for a magistrate in Jersey City yesterday and found Justice of the Peace Frank P. Lehane talking politics in a Montgomery street cigar store. The man, who described himself as Edwin Moore, 25 years old, of 130 West Ninetieth street, New York, whispered in the justice's ear, and Lehane replied:

"Certainly, we can perform the ceremony right here. Join hands.

The young woman, who said she was Miss Ella May Quimby of Asbury Park, objected. "I can't get married in such a place as this," she said. "Let's go somewhere else."

"Very well," said Lehane, "I have a friend around the corner. We'll borrow his office. He's Horace H. Farrier, a financier and real estate man."

"That will be fine," murmured Miss Quimby as the party started for 1 Cooper place. Mr. Farrier placed his office at their disposal and acted as a witness. The other witness was William O'Neill, a bartender, who was called in from an adjacent saloon.

"I don't blame the girl for not wanting to get married in a cigar store," said Bill Waddell the cigar clerk. "The last man Lehane married here got six years for bigamy."

CORTELYOU'S CHOICE

REPUBLICAN CHAIRMAN NAMES HIS COMMITTEES.

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—Chairman George B. Cortelyou of the republican national committee, yesterday selected the men who are to serve on the executive committee during the coming campaign. The committee is divided equally between Chicago and New York, four members being allotted to each headquarters.

The following are the members of the executive committee as announced by Mr. Cortelyou last night:

Eastern headquarters, New York—Charles F. Brooker of Connecticut, N. B. Scott of West Virginia, Franklin Murphy of New Jersey, William L. Ward of New York.

Western headquarters, Chicago—Harry S. New of Indiana, Frank O. Lowden of Illinois, R. R. Schneider of Nebraska, David W. Mulvane of Kansas.

Director of speakers' bureau, Western headquarters—James A. Tawney of Minnesota.

The chairman, secretary, treasurer and sergeant-at-arms of the national committee are also the officers of the executive committee.

CUT HIS THROAT

Man Attempted Suicide on Electric Car

LYNN, Aug. 3.—With his throat cut from ear to ear and windpipe severed Henry Kleine of St. Louis was found riding in an electric car yesterday afternoon. He was unconscious and it is believed cannot recover from the wounds.

Recovering his senses Kleine said he had cut his throat with a razor, and that he committed the deed near Marblehead and had ridden on the electric car to the Swampscott monument before discovered. He threw the weapon away along the road.

Kleine is 24 years old, and says he arrived at Boston Sunday, coming from Albany on a freight train. His parents are dead and being despondent he decided to commit suicide, selecting an electric car as the place.

The car, which left Marblehead at 3 was crowded, and on the seat with Kleine sat three women and a man, with Kleine on the outside, and nothing wrong was noticed until Kleine partly fell and acted strangely. Then it was noticed that blood showed on his throat. To one of the passengers he said he had attempted to commit suicide.

Conductor R. W. Hersey and motorman A. T. Blaisdell went to the man's assistance and the car was hurriedly run to the Swampscott postoffice. Here Kleine was placed on the sidewalk and later taken to the office of Dr. Hunt, where a number of stitches were taken in the wound.

No arteries had been severed or else, the doctors say, the man would have surely died, as they thought he had been at least an hour bleeding. Kleine was taken to the Lynn hospital. He says he spent all his money and has no recollection how he got to Marblehead or where he committed the deed.

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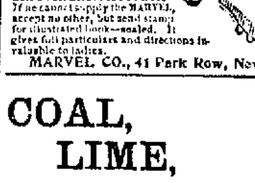

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PACKER'S CLAIMS

Not Borne Out by Conditions at Stock Yards

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—The meat packers, whose union employes are on strike, claimed to be in a better position last night than at any time since the struggle began. When asked for the packers' side of the situation last night, Mr. Meeker, general manager for Armour & Co., said:

"The strike may be said to be near an end. At the rate we are securing new employes, it will be only a matter of a short time until everything will be in normal condition with us once more. When the butcher workmen repudiated their agreement and renewed the strike, after signing an agreement to submit all grievances to arbitration, we made a special effort to win the fight, and we have been a great deal more successful than the most sanguine of the employers had hoped for. The old employes' places have been filled so promptly that very few of the strikers will ever be able to get back to their old places, and those who do will come back as individuals."

This assertion was made by Mr. Meeker after the packers had brought in during the day, according to their estimates, 1200 new men, and another official of Armour & Co. had said that the packing firms were doing nearly 80 per cent. of their usual business. Police reports of the number of new employes arriving at the yards bear out in a large measure the packers' statements.

Despite these declarations of the packers' reports, the pens at the stock yards are filled with cattle and hogs that buyers make no bid for in the market. According to commission men and officials of the union stock yards and transit company, out of the live stock received Monday and yesterday over 19,000 sheep and 10,000 hogs were reshipped and unsold stock is rapidly accumulating in the pens. Twelve thousand hogs remained unsold last night and the prospect of large receipts today is causing the live stock handlers to fear a swamping of their facilities. According to commission men there are thousands of hold-overs in all departments of the yards, and the cattle in the pens will not all be out of the way by Saturday night. In the face of all this, shippers are constantly forwarding stock to Chicago and the indications last night were that there will be a decided slump in prices of live stock.

It is on this statement and what further information their own men have been able to secure, that the strike leaders base their claims that the packers are still badly crippled, notwithstanding statements to the contrary. A considerable number of strike breakers who arrived in Chicago yesterday were dissuaded from going to work by pickets.

In a statement given out by the packers last night, it is asserted that out of the 25,526 union men who went on strike, 3056 have returned to work. These desertions from the unions added to the new employes secured since the strike began, it is declared, makes the total number of men now at work 15,845.

On published statements that the union leaders intended protesting to the city health department that the housing of employes on the packing plants was a violation of the city ordinance, an inspector from the sanitary bureau investigated all the plants yesterday, but nothing was found that would warrant the department taking any steps against the packers.

Two new commissary stores, making four altogether, were opened by the strikers yesterday. Crowds surrounded both places, securing an apportionment of food.

In view of erroneous statements leading to a belief that the live stock handlers' union ordered its members to return to work in the stock yards in violation of orders from the officers of the Meat Cutters' and Butchers' union, the Live Stock Handlers' union has adopted a resolution advising the public "That our return to work was due to explicit instructions from President Donnelly and his associates; and that should the officers of the Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butcher Workmen of North America deem it wise to again order us to participate in the strike, we hold ourselves in readiness to respond to the call."

The packers yesterday appealed for police protection for their distributing plants, the union pickets having turned back all the retail butchers, with wagons after supplies of meat. Police were despatched to prevent further interference with the retailers.

The first eviction resulting from the stock yards' strike was made yesterday. A crowd of strike sympathizers stoned two constables who put Mrs. Mary Anderson out of her home in Forty-fourth street for non-payment of rent. Mrs. Anderson's husband, a striker, had left Chicago in search of work. The wife was ill in bed when she and her household goods were carried out by constables. Mrs. Anderson was cared for by neighbors. Before the arrival of the police the crowd had wrecked the cottage from which the woman had been evicted.

BENJAMIN F. BUTLER

NEPHEW OF THE LATE GENERAL IS DEAD.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Benjamin Franklin Butler, a theatrical writer, died yesterday of brain fever at Rivercrest sanitarium, Astoria, after a short illness.

Mr. Butler was the grandnephew of General B. F. Butler, whose namesake he was. His father, the late George Butler, was for nine years United States consul at Cairo, Egypt, where Frank Butler, as he was generally known, was born. His mother is Rose Eytinge, an actress. A few months ago Mr. Butler married Miss Alice Johnston, also an actress. She was with him when he died.

IN BALL DRESS

WOMAN MADE TRIP ACROSS THE SEA.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—A young woman, who made the trip from Antwerp on the steamer Kroonland in a ball dress and without baggage, is now held on board that vessel awaiting permission of the immigration authorities to land.

She gave her name as Mrs. Constance Phelan and her last address as Cheltenham, Eng. The ship's officers know nothing about her except that she came aboard at Antwerp followed by two men, each bearing a case of mineral water.

She declared that she was going to the hot springs of North Carolina, but had only $4 in money. She said she did not know exactly why she came to America, as she had heard the baths were better in South Africa and she would have preferred to go there.

Her father, she said, was James Hunter, a prominent chemist of Aberdeen, Scot., and her mother was an American whose maiden name was Laura Prince. She showed a letter from Ikin and Chowther, solicitors of Lincoln's Inn Fields, London. The letter declared that the woman had an annuity of £3000 and that her debts would be cared for.

Get ready for the excursion on August 11th to Old Orchard via the Boston & Maine railroad. The round trip rate is $1.50.

WOMAN RESCUED

MRS. FLANAGAN TAKEN FROM BURNING HOUSE.

BOSTON, Aug. 3.—Patrolmen Angell and Varney of division 10, distinguished themselves at a fire that started in the kitchen of Mary Flanagan's home, 1534 Tremont street, Roxbury, yesterday afternoon, by rescuing Mrs. Flanagan at considerable risk to themselves.

The blaze was discovered shortly after 3.30 by one of the occupants of the house. Mrs. Flanagan's apartments are on the upper floor, and when the flames were seen, the other people in the house became greatly excited, and Mrs. Flanagan, who is about 75 years old, was forgotten in the rush for safety.

An alarm was given from box 223, followed within five minutes by another from the same box. Both officers hastened to the fire, and, learning that Mrs. Flanagan was in the house, dashed upstairs to her assistance. They fought their way to the kitchen through the heavy smoke. They brought her out to the street, where she soon recovered, and was afterwards cared for by friends.

The fire was confined to the apartment in which it originated, and the second alarm was needless. The loss was about $300.

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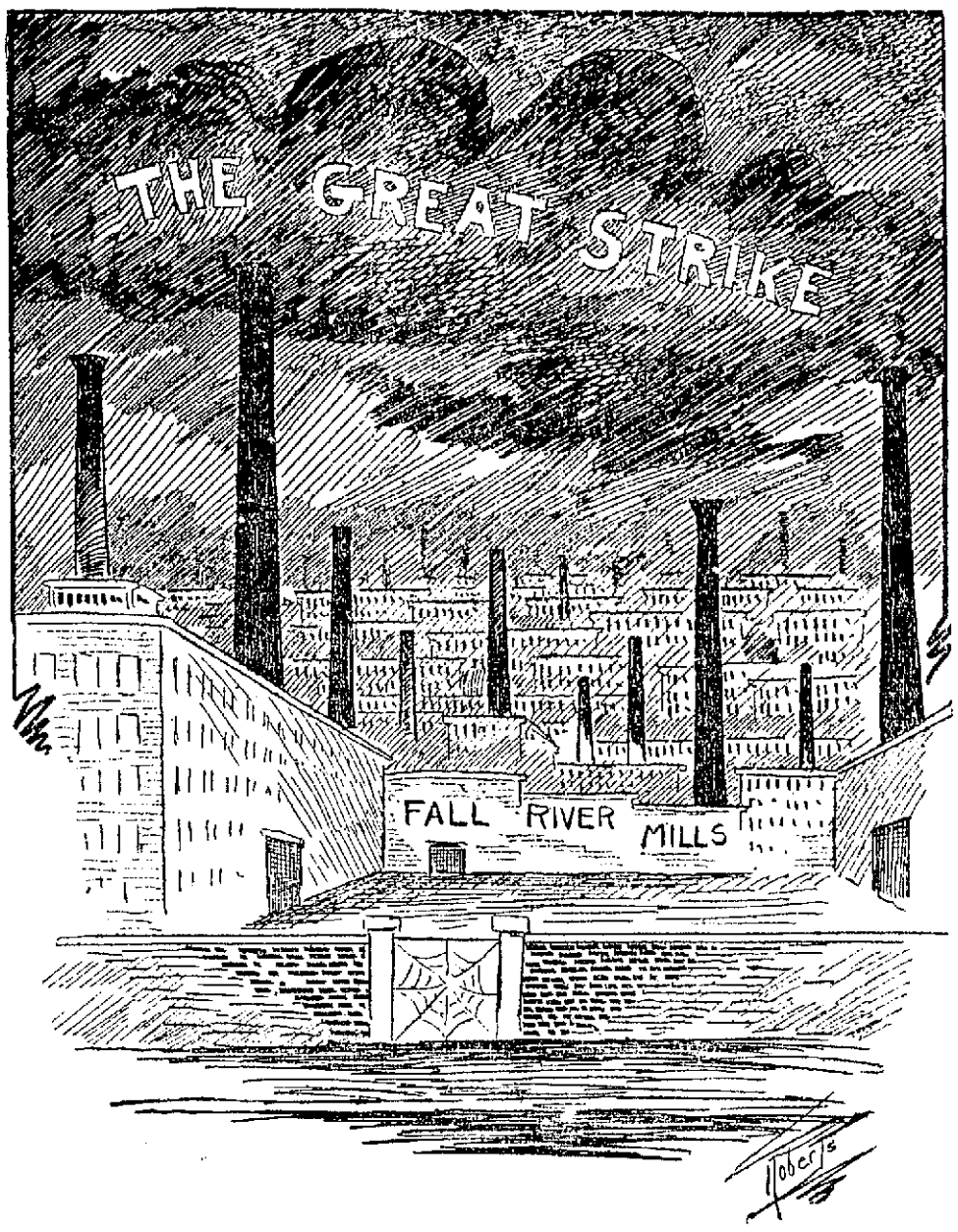

THE DESERTED VILLAGE

(With Apologies to Goldsmith.)

Sweet, smiling village, loveliest of the lawn,
Thy sports are fled and all thy charms withdrawn
Amidst thy bowers the tyrant's hand is seen
And desolation saddens all thy green.
One only master grasps thy whole domain;
No sign of tillage marks thy gloomy plain.
Along thy desert walks, once gay with life,
Is naught but painful evidence of strife;
Lost are thy joys; in sunken ruin all;
The long grass soon will top thy mouldering wall,
And trembling, shrinking from the tyrant's hand,
Far, far away, thy children leave the land.

WAS FOUND DYING

Alleged Gambler Killed For Gain

NEW BRITAIN, Conn., Aug. 3.—Charles Bosworth, who was found battered and unconscious in his room in Ward's block on Main street at noon yesterday, died in the New Britain hospital about 4 o'clock without uttering a word upon which the police may work to clear up his death. He was known here as a policy man and gambler, and it is said he also ran places in Springfield, Mass., and Danbury, Conn.

Bosworth was heard moaning in his room and the police broke in the door. They found him lying on the floor unconscious in a pool of blood. He had been struck on the back of the head with a blunt instrument. The skull was shockingly fractured. He was not a strong man, was lame and carried at all times a heavy cane. This cane was missing when his body was found yesterday afternoon, and it is possible that he was the victim of blows from his own stick.

Robbery was the motive. He was known to carry $2000. Not a cent was left. The pockets were turned inside out and his diamond ring and gold watch were gone.

Ample evidence was found in the room to show that Bosworth carried on a policy-plying business. He had rented three rooms in Ward's block on July 1. He was here before, but the police did not know of his resuming business until after the tragedy of today.

Bosworth was 53 years old. He has an invalid wife living at 50 Hungerford street, Hartford. He also had two brothers, Edward, living in Amherst, and L. H., jr, Providence.

The police believe that it was some person associated with Bosworth that committed the crime. The only clue is furnished by George Gibson of Maple street, who says he saw a man leaving Bosworth's place about noon. He says the man was much agitated and describes him as 45 years old, with gray hair and mustache. In the morning Bosworth told a boy who was measuring the window for curtains not to let anybody in without a key, and he kept the spring fastened on the door.

The Old Orchard excursion via the Boston & Maine railroad is on August 11th. The round trip rate is $1.50.

HARD ON CHILDREN

INFANT MORTALITY GREATLY INCREASED BY DOG DAYS.

More than 60 per cent. of the deaths in this city within the last eight days have been among the infants. The week of July 25 showed in the city clerk's report 42 deaths and of these 31 were infants. During the four last days the per cent. has been largely increased.

$1.50 round trip excursion to Old Orchard via Boston & Maine railroad, August 11th.

GAMBLING RAID

WOULD-BE HERO LED WAY FOR THE POLICE.

NEW YORK, Aug 3.—Detectives raised a ladder to a second-story window of an alleged poolroom in Washington street, when F. H. Pothen of Holyoke, Mass., thinking a fire was in progress, hurried up the ladder and jumped through the window to save life.

The detectives followed and found Pothen standing among the trapped gamblers. He was arrested but upon explaining that he did not intend to give the alarm in the poolroom, was discharged.

The police found 50 men in the place, some of whom were playing klondike, some shaking dice and others waiting for the returns from the races. All were lined up and their names were taken. Six were arrested and the others were permitted to go.

Matthew Stripp, the alleged proprietor, was arrested on warrants charging him with maintaining a gambling house and a poolroom. His brother, Thomas Stripp, was charged with aiding him. Bart Donovan, John Malley, John H. Malloll and Thomas Clark were the others taken.

Matthew Stripp was standing in front of the building when the police came up. He ran into Washington market, where he was arrested. Thomas Stripp was charged with maintaining a gambling house in Church street a few months ago. He pleaded guilty and paid a fine of $25.

On the grund floor of the building Peter Hale conducts a saloon and restaurant. Capt. Burns had men stationed in front of the saloon, believing that a gambling house was being conducted on the second floor. Two weeks ago Mr. Hale obtained an injunction against Capt. Burns from Justice Gaynor, restraining the captain from keeping pickets in front of his saloon by alleging that it damaged his business.

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President May Come to Boston

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—Atty. Gen. Moody yesterday escorted to the White House Lieut. Gov. Guild, Gen Blackmar, Col. E. H. Haskell and Col. Eli W. Hall to ask the President to attend the G. A. R. encampment at Boston, Aug. 15 to 20, and review the great parade on Aug. 16.

The president received his visitors very cordially and told of the great delight it would give him to be present at the parade, but he said he could not definitely say at this time whether he would be able to accept the invitation, as he had many engagements from now until Aug. 20, when he returns to Oyster Bay. If it is possible for him to change any of these engagements, he would be glad to and would go to Boston, but it was not certain he could do so.

Although the president did not positively say that he could not go to Boston, the impression prevails here that he will decide not to go. Some of his advisers are opposed to his going to Boston, because if he reviews the G. A. R. parade he will be expected to review other parades, and if he should decline to do so he would be accused of showing favoritism. This might injure him at this critical time in his career.

Furthermore, if he goes to Boston to review the G. A. R., he may be accused of doing it for political effect, which might also do him damage. In view of all these considerations, it is a strong probability that the president will decline the invitation.

JEWELRY TAKEN

ROOMS OF NEWPORT COTTAGE WERE RANSACKED.

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 3.—A bold robbery was committed some time last evening at the summer residence of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Van Horne of Boston on Greenough place. The thief gathered up numerous pieces of small jewelry and got away without being discovered or even heard. The police have not yet been able to obtain a single clew.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Horne were entertaining at dinner while the burglar worked and did not go to their rooms till late in the evening. Then they found that their drawers had been ransacked and the several jewel cases cleaned out. Fortunately Mrs. Van Horne wore her most valuable pieces of jewelry at dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Horne, who have lived here two years, are occupying the Porter villa in Greenough place, which last summer was the seat of the British embassy. It is inclosed by trees of thick foliage.

The articles stolen were one diamond scarf pin, one lady's ring set with diamonds and pearls, one scarf pin set with four pearls, one gold double snake scarf pin set with diamonds and rubies on the head of the snake, one gun metal watch, one lady's gold and blue enamel watch.

AGAINST DIVORCE

Strong Words at Catholic Federation Convention

SERMON BY REV. FR. O'BRIEN OF TOLEDO

Big Gathering Assembled at Detroit, Mich.

DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 3.—Plans for amendments to the constitution which, if adopted, might result in an entire reorganization of the American federation of Catholic societies will be presented by Peter Wallrath of Evansville, Ind., editor of Das Sternenbanner and state president for Indiana of the German Catholic union.

Mr. Wallrath's plan, which he presents at the request of his state, would make the active members of the federation connected directly with the main body.

Members are divided into "active" and "passive" members, the latter being those who are connected with the federation through one of the affiliated societies.

Active members are those who sign the federation membership roll directly and pay the annual fee of 50 cents. The plan aims to solve what has been a great problem with the leaders of the federation, parish organization.

The convention was opened yesterday when the Knights of St. John, with their band, formed in lead the procession of clerical and lay delegates to St. Mary's German Catholic church.

In the sanctuary Archbishop Elder sat in canopied throne, and Archbishop Messmer beside him. Opposite was the throne of Bishop Foley, canopied in purple.

Present in the sanctuary were Bishop Maes of Covington, Bishop Hartley of Columbus, Bishop McFaul of Trenton and Bishop Stang of Fall River, Mass., with Mgrs. Lavelle and Teeling, domestic prelates of the pope.

At the consecration an extraordinary scene took place. While all others knelt with bowed heads in the nave, and in the sanctuary the heads of the priests were bowed, the Knights of St. John stood, donned their helmets, drew their swords and held them forward as ancient knights swearing fealty. The transept of the church glittered with bared blades. The scene was impressive, and thrilling as it was strange.

The sermon of Fr. O'Brien of Toledo, O., whose address was expected to define the purpose of the federation and its convention, was delivered in a clear, rich voice and in an earnest manner.

"Render, therefore, unto Caesar the things that are Caesar's," he chose for his text, "and unto God the things that are God's."

Among other things, Fr. O'Brien said:

"In this scientific and material age people have almost forgotten the end for which they were created. This is an age of material progress, but as people progress materially they retrograde spiritually. Material progress cannot save a nation; religion alone can do it."

He then discussed the conflict between the authority of the church and that of the state, saying, "The church cannot sanction unjust or bad laws. It cannot sanction the law of divorce because it is against the law of God. The state has no right to enact the law of divorce. I say it as a citizen loyal to the government.

"The church cannot sanction the present public school system of the country because it eliminates religion from its teachings. I know that this is an unpopular stand, but we must make it because we are right and the state is wrong.

"Our non-Catholic brethren know us not. They look upon us with prejudiced eyes and imagined there is something in the teaching of the church that weakens our loyalty to the government. I defy any man to impugn the loyalty of Catholics.

"Though the number of Catholics in this country is 12,000,000 we have less influence than some of the weaker sects. Why have Catholics so little influence despite the fact that we number 2,000,000 voters? It is because of our cowardice in expressing our opinions. We are afraid to open our mouths in defence of the church and her doctrines, because we are on the unpopular side.

"You will never get anything by keeping silent. You must speak out and advance your ideas; you must fight—but not, thank God, with deadly weapons. The object of your convention is a high and noble one.

"You must lay down a fighting program for the future and carry it out."

At the afternoon session Secretary Anthony Matre of Cincinnati read his report. It showed a gain during the past year of one state federation and two national Catholic societies.

The American federation now comprises a total of 10 national organizations in its membership and has 11 state federations and 300 county federations. The total membership of the organizations which are affiliated with the federation is 1,500,000 in 39 states and Porto Rico, and 75 of the bishops of the country have given their approval to the federation. Secretary Matre read the following cablegram from Pope Pius X:

"Pius has received the filial greetings of the American federation of Catholic societies and joyfully sends his apostolic blessing."

Secretary Matre also read letters from Cardinal Gibbons, Archbishop Ryan of Philadelphia, Archbishop Christie of Portland, Ore., Archbishop Farley of New York and a number of bishops from all parts of the country.

After the reading of reports, Bishop Stang of Fall River, Mass., addressed the delegates, and Mgr. Teeling of Lynn, Mass., urged the delegates to take some action looking toward the proper observance of the Sabbath.

John Grass, a Sioux Indian, also made an address in his native tongue, which was interpreted by Chief High Eagle.

Last night a mass meeting was held at which Bishop McFaul of Trenton, N. J., Nicholas Gonner of Dubuque, Ia., and Thomas B. Minahan of New York city, national president of the federation, made addresses on the aims of the federation.

LEG BROKEN

WOMAN TOOK SLIDE DOWN "CHILKOOT PASS."

NEW HAVEN, Aug. 3.—Mrs. John Furry of New York city, while sliding down "Chilkoot Pass" at Savin Rock yesterday, broke a leg between the knee and the ankle. "Chilkoot Pass" is a polished board slide 75 feet long, full of bumps, at the bottom of which there is a big mattress. It is one of the attractions at the "White City," which is the Coney Island of Connecticut.

Mrs. Furry took the slide on a dare. She is a large woman and she wore a silk dress. She went down like a shot and landed on the mattress with a scream of pain. Her foot caught in a fold of the hair mat and her leg was broken half way between the ankle and the knee.

ASKED MONEY

DERANGED MAN CAUSED SENSATION AT LENOX.

PITTSFIELD, Aug. 3.—Lenox was much alarmed yesterday over the appearance of a deranged man at the country residence of the British ambassador, Sir Mortimer Durand. About noon a wild-eyed, unlidy stranger presented himself at the embassy and asked for money. He made a harangue when refused, and said he admired the assassin of Minister Von Plehve, and that some day he would throw a bomb himself.

He was dissuaded from entering the embassy and after a time went away, to reappear later at the residence of Miss Adele Kneeland of New York, where he again demanded money.

A contractor who was on the ground attempted to detain the fellow, but he ran and got away. The police were notified and searched the town for the man, who had made good his escape.

BILLERICA

About thirty fishermen from the village went fishing down in Boston harbor yesterday on the Steamer King Philip, but the fishes evidently had an off day for they refused to do much biting and very few of the followers of Izaak Walton brought home any fish that they had caught themselves. It is understood though that the markets in Atlantic avenue did a pretty good business after the steamer reached the wharf at night. The largest catch was made by Joseph Durfee, who landed a cod weighing 8½ pounds.

Roland Conway of this town, an employe of the Boston Elevated railway, is on a two weeks' vacation, which he will spend at the different beaches along the New England coast.

Misses Mabel and Jennie Morris and Lillian Buckley are at Revere beach.

Mrs. Chas. S. Maxwell, Mrs. John Wozencroft and Mrs. L. W. Buckley and family are spending the week at Revere.

Miss Helen Hennessy, Louise and Teresa Dean of Salem street will be the guests of Harold Hennessy at Kennebunkport, Me., for the remainder of the summer.

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5.43	6.50	6.00	7.04
6.22	7.10	6.30	7.26
a6.38	7.30	7.54	8.52
a6.45	7.53	8.25	9.01
e7.01	8.02	e9.00	9.37
a7.24	8.10	8.20	9.57
e7.31	8.50	e10.00	10.37
7.45	8.35	a10.17	11.34
a7.52	10.05	e11.30	12.07
8.50	9.40	12.00	12.56
9.22	10.20	e1.00	1.37
11.00	12.08	1.15	1.52
es11.43	12.25	2.00	3.03
a12.14	1.00	e3.00	3.37
1.40	2.50	3.30	4.05
es1.58	2.39	a3.47	6.00
ea3.47	4.30	4.14	5.30
es4.02	4.45	e5.00	5.37
4.25	5.30	5.38	6.24
ea5.22	6.15	a5.47	6.54
a5.44	7.00	6.14	7.30
ea6.12	6.55	e7.30	8.08
ea7.23	8.10	e8.30	9.08
8.42	9.36	10.30	11.34
		11.30	12.23

SUNDAY TRAINS

a6.30	7.30	9.00	10.00
a7.24	8.10	e10.00	10.37
8.45	9.46	e11.30	12.07
a9.20	10.15	1.00	1.37
a3.25	4.36	5.00	6.30
a5.29	6.30	e7.30	8.06
e7.12	8.58	e8.30	9.08
a7.29	8.10	9.00	10.02

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6.50	7.50	7.30	8.51
8.00	8.54	9.25	10.31
9.25	10.37	10.45	11.40
10.50	12.00	11.50	1.05
12.05	1.27	2.15	3.20
12.45	1.55	3.31	4.50
2.30	3.31	4.50	5.49
3.10	4.05	6.04	7.05
5.45	6.00	6.35	7.47
5.00	6.40	8.39	10.35
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9.15	10.20		

SUNDAY TRAINS

8.15	9.26	8.00	9.13
12.10	1.24	12.00	1.00
3.55	4.52	5.00	6.25
5.50	6.51	8.40	9.40
8.45	9.44		

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NOTICE.

H. Harmon sold his grocery and provision store at 129 Howard street to J. Smith.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

J. P. Maxfield Circle, No. 9, Ladies of the G. A. R., held a well attended meeting last night. Regular business was transacted. It was voted not to hold another meeting until the first Tuesday in September, owing to National encampment.

A few of the members held an outing a few days ago, and paid a visit to Sister Millie Fraser, at Willow Dale, and in behalf of all the members presented her a Ladies of the G. A. R. pin.

A Good Templar lodge is to be instituted Thursday evening, Aug. 11, in Andover, by Grand Councillor Albert Sutcliffe of this city, assisted, it is expected, by other grand officers. Members of Rescue lodge of North Andover, the two Haverhill lodges, and Good Hope and Ballardvale lodges are invited to attend.

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$5.00 Golf Bals, rubber soles and heels $2.50
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$1.50 W. & D. Iron.........75c
$6.00 Golf Bags only.......$3.00
$3.00 Spider G. Boy........$1.50
$3.00 Golf Balls, doz......$1.00

The lot is not large, but golf can be played with an outfit selected here, and Capt. Bogey would not be in it.

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ON THE ALLEYS

Rochambeau Council Defeated Recreations

Rochambeau council defeated the Recreations in a game in the Lakeview tournament on the alleys at Lakeview last night by a score of 1161 to 1144, winning all five points. Lebrun of the victorious team was high man with a three string total of 243 while the best single was made by Payette of the same team, it being 81. While the scores were rather low the game was interesting throughout.

The French team won the first string by the narrow margin of two pins, the second by seven pins and the third by eight pins. By taking all five point, at last night's game the French team moves up a peg going from fourth to third place.

The score:

ROCHAMBEAU R. A.

Lebrun	80	82	81	243
Ouellette	73	80	[illegible]	233
Pottier	82	72	[illegible]	231
Caisse	72	72	69	213
Payette	77	77	84	238
Total	384	[illegible]	394	1161

RECREATIONS.

Sympson	81	74	83	238
Gounoud	78	73	76	227
Murden	80	77	71	228
McGrath	73	80	79	232
Bigby	70	72	77	219
Total	382	376	386	1144

TOURNAMENT STANDING.

	Pts. Won	Pts. Lost	P. C.
Bigelows	15	0	1.000
Fairmounts	8	2	.800
Rochambeau	7	3	.700
Brownies	3	2	.600
Recreations	2	13	.133
Princetons	0	5	.000

KRAMER BEATEN

By the Little Connecticut Blacksmith

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 3.—World's Fair grounds.—The first races of the four days of cycling events of the grand circuit meet and national amateur championship of the National Cycling association constituting part of the Olympic games were held in the Stadium yesterday. The feature was the defeat of F. L. Kramer of East Orange, N. J., by W. S. Fenn of Waterbury, Conn., in the one-third mile grand circuit championship.

Final summaries:

One mile novice, W. L. Snyder, St. Louis, first; Frank Bisonul, St. Louis, second; Henry C. Whitman, Lincoln, Neb., third. Time—2.45 4-5.

One-third mile grand circuit championship, W. S. Fenn, Waterbury, Conn., first; Frank L. Kramer, East Orange, N. J., second; Menus Bedell, Lynnbrook, N. Y., third. Time—43 2-5 seconds.

One-half mile amateur national championship—M. L. Hurley, New York Athletic club, amateur champion of America, first; Teddy Billington, Vailsburg, N. J., second; Burton Downing, San Jose, California, third. Time—1.08 2-5.

One mile handicap amateur, W. L. Snyder, St. Louis, 70 yards, first; Henry W. Wittman, Lincoln, Neb., 70 yards, second; Teddy Billington, Vailsburg, N. J., scratch, third. Time—1.02 1-5.

One mile handicap professional, Floyd Krebs, Newark, N. J., 50 yards, first; F. J. Cadwell, Hartford, Conn., 40 yards, second; John Bedell, Lynnbrook, N. Y., 20 yards, third. Time—2.17 4-5.

One mile consolation, professional, L. R. Bowler, Chicago, first; George H. Collett, Salt Lake City, Utah, second; Joseph Fogler, Brooklyn, N. Y., third. Time—2.13 3-5.

August 11th is the date of the excursion to Old Orchard via the Boston & Maine railroad. The round trip rate is $1.50.

CONSTANT WATCH

Is Kept on Von Plehve's Assassin

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 3.—The assassin of Minister of the Interior Von Plehve is said to have made a partial confession in which he declared that at one time he was a school teacher in a rural district and was greatly interested in the Zemstvo, for the curtailment of whose powers he blamed the dead minister. He still absolutely refuses to disclose his name. A watch is kept on him day and night not only in order to prevent his doing himself bodily harm, but in the belief that he may betray himself in his sleep. Thus far, however, he has only muttered two words in his sleep, endearing diminutives of Peter and Natalie, probably the names of a comrade and sweetheart. The police have discovered that a third accomplice was concerned in the murder plot, and that he was stationed on a quay on the Neva where one of the imperial yachts was moored on the chance that the minister might go to Peterhof that day by boat.

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PERSONALS

Miss Elizabeth McElreath of Amsterdam, N. Y., is the guest of Miss Nettie Morse of Pawtucketville for two weeks.

Mr. E. B. Lowe, of the Putnam & Son company, is spending the month of August at West Farmington, Me., with his two little grandchildren, Betsy and Dorothy.

Mr. Walter W. Coppen of Columbus avenue has just returned from Wolfeboro, N. H., where Mrs. Coppen and son are spending the summer months at Lake Winnipesaukee.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clifton and little daughter, Margaret, are spending a two weeks' vacation at Ocean Park, Me.

Mr. Oliver Freeman of Newburyport is spending the next two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Freeman of this city, his relatives.

Mr. William G. McKay, associate secretary of the local Young Men's Christian association, has been renewing acquaintances in Nashua, his former home.

Miss Lizzie Butler of Beech street, a teacher at the Varnum grammar school, is stopping at the Churchill cottage, Fortune Rock, Biddeford, Me.

Mrs. Arthur Burtt of Washington, D. C., formerly of this city, is summering at Biddeford, Me. She will be joined the 15th of the month by her husband Mr. Arthur Burtt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burtt of this city.

Mr. Frank Foster of Boston visited in Lowell during the early part of the week.

Miss Elsie Whitney of 138 Perham street, Roxbury, Mass., who has been visiting friends in this city, has gone to South Framingham with Mr. and Mrs. William H. Greenleaf.

Rev. Wm. A. Bartlett, a former pastor of the Kirk Street church, is to fill the pulpit of that church for the next two weeks.

Mrs. K. E. Gardner will join her daughters at Northfield, Vt., for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett George of Nashua have been spending a few days with relatives in this city.

Miss Daisy S. Bent of Westford is in Nashua, visiting her aunt, Mrs. C. T. Lund.

Miss Maybelle Wilson has gone on an extended trip throughout the West. She will visit the St. Louis fair and also Southern California.

Miss Agnes Boyle is at Newport for the remainder of the summer.

Miss Chatia Brunelle is at Atlantic City.

Miss Margaret Conroy is enjoying the ocean breezes at Cape Ann.

Miss Susie James is sojourning at the White Mountains.

Miss Nora Murphy is stopping at the Beverly cottage, Salisbury beach.

Miss Kittie Usher has gone to Old Orchard for six weeks.

Rev. and Mrs. T. Clayton Welles have gone to Jackson, Michigan, and will visit Chicago and the exposition at St. Louis before returning.

Miss Anna Hennessy is spending her vacation among the Berkshire hills.

Miss Mae Ford has gone on a visit to her native place, County Kerry. Her shopmates presented her with a diamond ring.

Mr. George Miller, formerly of Tewksbury, has arrived in Butte, Montana, where he may decide to settle.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Greenleaf and son, Harold, of 1 Butman place, have removed to 33 Alexander street, South Framingham, Mass.

Miss Lumina Boulanger and Mrs. M. L. Traversy will tour the Provinces together during the next three weeks.

Charles Churchill of Beacon street, a Lowell Textile student, is spending the month at Fortune Rock, Biddeford, Me.

Mrs. C. H. O'Donnell, Miss Marie J. O'Donnell and Master Chas. H. O'Donnell are visiting at Ithaca, N. Y.

Mr. William Barnes of Lowell has been visiting friends in Nashua.

Mr. F. E. Bascom, general yard master of the B. & M. railroad, and Mrs. Bascom wil lspend the month of August in Nicholville, N. Y.

Miss Lillian Ingalls and Miss Pearl Edwards are at Marblehead, enjoying thoroughly a three weeks' vacation.

Mr. Patrick J. Kealy, formerly a motorman in the employ of the Boston & Northern, left yesterday for Queenstown, Ireland, and he intends to make a long visit among his relatives.

Mrs. H. W. Folsom of 77 Mt. Vernon street has gone to Albany Springs for a three weeks' stay.

Mrs. J. S. Marion and her two sons, Harold and Carl, are spending the month of August in Waterville, Me.

Harold Marion of Twelfth street is at the farm of his uncle, Fred Gerald, of Clinton, Me.

Mrs. Hattie Fletcher is an Onset Bay during the month of August.

Mr. J. E. Burbank has gone to the Seashore house, Old Orchard, for a week.

Miss Nora Curack of Crowley st. is visiting relatives in Keene, N. H.

Victor H. Meister, who has returned fro his fourth annual camp at Spectacle lake, reports an unusually successful season.

Rev. and Mrs. A. R. Dilts and family have gone to Wayland, Mass. They will spend the summer, after a stay at that place, at Center Harbor, Lake Winnipesaukee, and other places nearby.

Messrs. A. E. Kidder and Charles Adams have gone to camp Rest-a-While, Bow Lake, Strafford, N. H.

Mr. W. G. McKay has started upon a month's vacation. He will spend August at Brockville, Canada, his old home, after visiting Montreal.

Mr. A. B. Martin, treasurer and manager of the Harriman Suspender company, has gone abroad.

Messrs. Brooks E. Pray, Clarence Pray and James Pray, sons of George A. Pray, of Haverstraw, N. Y., are visiting their aunt, Mrs. A. C. Jordan, at 201 Appleton street.

Mr. Paul Meister of Stoughton, Mass., is visiting his uncle, Victor H. Meister of this city.

Mr. Lawrence A. Jordan of New York, is visiting at the home of his sister in Appleton street.

Mr. Percy Patterson is visiting friends in Boston.

Miss Jessie Allen and Miss Isabelle Chambers have gone on a week's visit to friends in Maynard.

Messrs. Wallace Butterfield, John A. Collins, Charles Preston, Arthur N. Randlett and Asa W. Flint are camping up the Merrimack, just below Nashua. Mr. Randlett is having quite a success as chef.

Mr. Frank L. Dupee has gone to Forge pond, Forge Village, where he has a camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace W. Clement of Centralville are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Roe of Liberty, Me.

The following people, booked at Leeds' Cunard agency, sailed on the steamer Iverida yesterday for Liverpool: Mrs. E. Anna Bradsford, Mr. Benjamin Hoyle, Mr. Richard Chadwick, Mr. Alexander Chadwick and on the Fabri line steamer Germania from New York, Thursday, for Naples; Costas Caractacos, Apostolos Cosmopolos, Costa Gachis, Stavros Atheneslon.

Mr. Asa Warren Meade has gone to the exposition at St. Louis.

Mrs. C. W. Rosander and Mabel, Clara and Marion Rosander of Powell street have gone to Hebron, Me., to spend a few weeks' vacation with relatives.

Mrs. E. F. Saunders of 24 Mt. Washington street left Lowell today for Cottage City for a vacation of several weeks.

Miss Nina Dexter of Coleraine, Me., is the guest of Miss Grace Pickles of Centralville.

Miss Etta Page has gone on a short visit to relatives in Lawrence.

Mr. John Bulger, of Gilbride's store, is at Salisbury beach.

Mr. Lawrence Buckley and daughter Lillian, have gone on a visit to Portland, Me.

Mr. William H. Cuzner, manager of the local branch of the Ginter Grocery Co., has gone to Nova Scotia for his health.

Mr. John McArdle will spend two weeks at Hull.

Mr. Cherry, of the New York Cloak and Suit company has returned from a three weeks' trip to Ontario, where he spent his vacation among relatives.

Miss Alice F. Brooks of Nicollet street has gone upon an extended visit with relatives in the West.

Miss Bessie Pickles has been spending a few days with friends in Chelsea, Mass.

Mr. Harry Donohue is on his vacation at the Weirs, N. H.

Master Andrew Livingston of Pawtucketville, is visiting Lieut. Alexander Greig at Fort Monroe, N. Y.

Mrs. E. O. Tabor has returned from a visit to New York city.

Mrs. James Nacey and family are at Salisbury beach.

Patrick Harrahan has returned from a visit to friends in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Daigle have gone upon a trip to Canada.

Ex-Councilman Andrew Livingston and family have returned from New York city where they have been visiting relatives.

Miss Alice Bean of Pawtucketville is the guest of Miss Alice Wright of Worcester.

Miss Lulu Northrup and Alice Phelps, of the Central telephone exchange, are on their vacations.

Miss Alice Adie, of Chapel street, is spending her vacation at the beaches around Boston.

Miss Helen O'Sullivan is at Revere for a few weeks.

Lieut. Hugh Downey, of the police force, leaves today for Prince Edward Island, for a two weeks' rest.

Master Cornelius O'Neill of Lawrence street, is spending his vacation with friends in Lawrence and Haverhill.

Miss Elizabeth O'Connor of Wamesit street, is at Providence, R. I., for a vacation.

Mrs. Maurice Kearney and daughter, Miss Mary, and the Misses Susie and Annie Higgins leave tomorrow for a few days at Salisbury beach.

The Belvidre camp at Salisbury beach has been opened for the remainder of the summer season.

Mr. and Mrs. John Burns of Merrill street, have gone to Revere beach for two weeks.

Mrs. Welch, wife of Councilman Patrick Welch, and children are at Long-Sought-For pond for a few days.

Miss Nellie Maloney, of the Merrimack Clothing company, is at Revere beach for two weeks.

The vacationers from the A. G. Pollard & Co. store are: Miss Annie Traversey, at Lynn; Miss Margaret Reading, Salisbury; Miss Bertha Brown, New York city; Miss Louise Snowman, Bar Harbor, and Miss Mamie Boulger and Miss Heath.

Miss Clara Whitworth of this city and Miss Geo. E. Fregon of Corry, Pa., are visiting at Niagara Falls and Canada after spending a pleasant time at Lake Chautauqua.

Mr. Thomas F. Welch, of Hose 7, is spending his vacation at Gloucester, Marblehead and New Bedford.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Mower and family of Gibson street, have gone to visit relatives in Stowe, Vt.

Mrs. F. L. Roberts will sing at the Old Home Week celebration in Wilmington today.

Mr. Charles V. Barker, Mr. and Mrs. Merton N. Glidden and Mr. Harry Hopkins are all at the St. Louis fair.

Miss Gertrude Mullin of Moore street has gone to Bellows Falls for her vacation.

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TOMORROW AFTERNOON AT 2.30 O'CLOCK

The Frederic A. Morey Estate, Residence and Store Property, right in the heart of the village of ***Billerica Centre.***

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The executors of the will of the late Frederic A. Morey feel that it is incumbent upon them, at this time, to advertise and pledge to the highest bidders at absolute auction sale, the village property, the household furniture, the "Holden Wood Lot," the "Wilmington Wood Lot," the family carriage, top grocery wagon, business pung, lot of pine plank and some other personal property; all to be sold on Thursday, the 4th day of August, 1904, at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon, on the premises at the Centre, regardless of weather conditions.

The property in the village comprises a large two and one-half story building. One-half o fthis building was used by Mr. Morey as his residence, and is finished off into eight nice, pleasant rooms, a large bath room, a large pantry and large shed. It is heated by a hot water plant and lighted by electricity, and it makes a fine home. The ground floor of the other half of the building is finished off into a good sized store, with large and excellent cellar; all heated by the same hot water plant and lighted by electricity. This store was occupied by Mr. Morey and in it he conducted a very successful general store business for twenty-eight years. Upon his death, in October, 1902, the stock was closed out, and since then the store has been closed, with the exception of the grain department, which has been kept going. Over the store is a splendid home, consisting of six good rooms, a bath room, pantry and store room. In the rear of the residence and store building, and not connected with it, is a stable for four horses, with wagon and carriage house and granary room; lighted by electricity. On each side of the stable, and attached thereto, are storage sheds.

With the buildings are about 35,250 square feet of land, with 98 feet frontage on Concord road. The land is perfectly level. On th eresidence side is a fine lawn. On the store side is concrete paving. The stable and sheds are separated from the grounds by a high lattice fence. There is an abundance and a great variety of fruit trees and vines, and in the centre of the lot, just in rear of the buildings, is a magnificent elm tree; while in front of the lot, on the common, are a number of large and beautiful trees and the common itself is a beautiful spot.

Billerica Centre is one of the show villages of Massachusetts. It has its own town water, is electrically lighted and a sewer system is now in contemplation. The Lexington & Boston electric cars (trunk line) between Lowell and Boston, pass these premises every thirty minutes. The Lowell & Boston electric cars (trunk line) between Lowell and Boston, pass the other side of the common, and a line of the Boston & Northern Street Railway leaves the opposite end of the common for Wilmington, Reading, Wakefield and Boston, also Lynn and Salem.

The property is in fine condition and a desirable one; splendidly situated for a village residence, is certainly a first-class location for a general store, and is now perfectly arranged as both.

Immediately following the sale of the homestead, and at the homestead will be sold the "Holden Wood Lot," on the Colburn Road, about opposite the farm of Geo. F. Colburn, in the easterly part of the town. This lot contains some fourteen acres and is covered with a sprout growth of hard wood. It is a high and dry lot.

Following this will be sold the "Wilmington Wood Lot," so-called, situated in Wilmington, near the boundary line between that town and Billerica. It contains about 30 acres of sprout land of ten years' growth of mixed wood, mostly hard. It is reached by a right of way from the main road between Billerica and Wilmington, and is near to the old Middlesex Canal aqueduct and to the farm of Isaac Hopkinson.

Immediately following the sale of the wood lots, and at the homestead, will be sold 5000 feet of 2-inch and 3-inch pine plank, at the Livingston Saw Mill, just east of, and about five minutes' walk from the village, and then the household furniture, comprising the furnishings of the entire eight rooms of the residence.

The purchaser of the homestead must deposit with or secure to the Auctioneers $500, just as soon as the property is struck off, and the purchaser of the wood lot must do the same with $50. The purchasers of the personal property must pay cash. The premises will be open for inspection after 10 A. M. on the day of sale, or at any reasonable time before upon application at the premises. All inquiries should be made at the office of the Auctioneers.

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Saturday, August 6, at 2.30 o'clock

Administratrix' sale of the John O'Neil estate, cottage house and about 1400 square feet of land at the corner of Coburn and L streets, Centralville. By virtue of a license granted to me by the probate court, I will sell at the premises, regardless of any condition of the weather, this cottage house and about 1400 square feet of land. The cottage is a neat little house of six rooms, parlor, dining room, kitchen and three chambers. It has good sewerage, water service and water closet in cellar. It is a place worthy of being a neat and comfortable little home, and to its purchaser it will certainly be so.

The lot contains about 1400 square feet, and being on the corner has frontages on both streets, about 35 feet on L street and about 40 feet on Coburn street; there is good yard room, and it is all fenced in. It is finely situated in a neighborhood of such small homes. And I will make absolute sale of it to the highest bidder on that day.

Terms: $150 to be paid or secured with the auctioneer at time and place of sale.

BRIDGET O'NEIL,
Administratrix of Estate of John O'Neil.

JOHN J. and WM. A. HOGAN, Attys.

Saturday, August 6, at 3.30 o'clock

Absolute sale by public auction, two tenement house and about 2650 square feet of land at Nos. 979 and 981 Central street. Promptly at 3.30 o'clock in the afternoon of August 6th, I will offer to the public by auction sale, this neat two tenement house of eleven rooms, six upstairs and five downstairs. It is in first-class repair, has been recently painted, and is at present occupied by two very fine tenants, one of whom has been an occupant for about 14 years. The present rental received is about $240 a year, and it is always rented. It has separate front and rear entrances and is a good, substantial piece of realty. The lot has a frontage on Central street of about 35 feet and runs in depth about 83 feet. It is all fenced in, is concreted around house and there is plenty of good yard room in rear. The location is a very good one, it being set between Cedar and Gorham streets on Central street, which is a road of the best smooth paving. It is quite handy to the city proper, and in a very respectable neighborhood.

Now the best kind of property to invest in is of the two-tenement type, and here is your chance to make such an investment, for it is up for sale to the highest bidder.

Terms: $300 must be paid to the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off; two-thirds of the selling price can remain on mortgage.

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TRUST BROKEN

Labor Union Official Says Packers Lose Business

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—Homer D. Call, the international secretary of the butchers' organization, said today: "The greatest feature of the strike is that the meat trust has been broken. Instead of the packers disrupting the unions, the disintegration of one of the greatest combinations the world has ever seen has already set in. For ten years, from 1890 to 1900, the consolidation of the meat companies was carried on, and from 1741 plants in this country, the number was reduced to 760.

"Now the tide will set in the other way. The packers know that they have already lost control of a large part of their business and the live stock dealers will do all that is possible to assist. Since the strike the independent plants of Chicago, Louisville, Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Pittsburg and Springfield, Mass., have been working night and day. This trade will never be recovered by the trust. My reports are that the danger has already been realized by the big packers. It took the packers 20 years to build up their combination and now the fruits of victory will be snatched from them by the labor unions. The public is supporting the independent plants because of the damaging evidence secured by the government against the meat monopoly."

Determined to give all the aid possible to the strikers, the ice handlers and ice wagon drivers have refused to supply refrigerator cars of the strike affected plants. Without ice the packers are unable to ship meat except for short hauls and cannot export any. Non-union men are being pressed into the service, but their efforts are not sufficient. Armour & Co. have begun using fruit cars for shipping meat, but this is admittedly a costly expedient.

LOTS OF CATTLE

SUPPLY GREATLY IN EXCESS OF DEMAND.

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—The yards were flooded with live stock today. The supply so far exceeded the demand that prices in some cases dropped as much as $1. Before the day's shipments arrived there were 29,000 hogs in the pens and between 2000 and 3000 cattle. The sheep alone had been all sold. Today's live stock receipts were nearly one-fourth more than yesterday. The packers expressed the opinion that with supplies so heavy a great portion of the stock could not be handled by the packing plants until tomorrow. Today's receipts were as follows:

Cattle, 5000; hogs, 12,000; sheep, 14,000.

The packers announced today that they would attempt to import no more unskilled labor. They said they had all the men they needed and in future would take only a few skilled men. This news was declared by the strikers to be a bait in the hope of breaking the union ranks.

CHICAGO STRIKERS

ASKED TO RETURN TO WORK.

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—Notwithstanding the claim of the packing house managers that they have no difficulty in securing workmen, they are said to be making very strong efforts to induce their former employees to return to work. The latest move made in that line is the distribution of cards among the wives of strikers, urging them to induce their husbands to return to the packing house plants and offering increased pay.

Schwarzchild and Sulzberger notified the county officials that they could not make the usual delivery of meat according to contract, and the superintendent of public service placed an order for $4000 worth of meat with an independent firm.

GREAT DECREASE

IN THE PURCHASE OF LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—Packers announced today that since the beginning of the strike the falling off in the buying of live stock has been 127,000 for cattle and 195,000 for hogs, as compared with July and the early part of August last year.

ROCHESTER BUTCHERS

HIRED TO WORK IN THE STOCK YARDS.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Aug. 3.—Twenty-three experienced butchers were shipped from this city today to take the places of men out on strike at the stock yards in Chicago. They will receive $5 a day in addition to board and lodging and are guaranteed protection. It is understood that they will be armed before reaching Chicago.

FUNERALS

WEBSTER—The funeral of Sally B Webster took place yesterday afternoon from the residence of Mr. Franklin P. Fox, Marsh Hill, Dracut, and the services were conducted by Rev. F. I. Kelley, pastor of the Dracut Congregational church. The bearers were Messrs. F. P. Fox, H. and G. Webster and Guy Lewis. Undertaker Young had charge of the arrangements, and burial was in the cemetery at Pelham Centre.

MORRIS—The funeral of Charles E. Morris took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents in Billerica Centre, and the services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Evans. Burial was in the Corner cemetery. Undertaker Young in charge.

BUTLER—The funeral of Thomas Leo Butler was held yesterday afternoon at the home of his parents, John and Ada, 1352 Middlesex street. The service was largely attended and there were profuse floral offerings. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements were under the direction of Undertaker Molloy.

LEIGHTON—The funeral of Blanche Leighton was held yesterday afternoon at the home of her parents, 37 Sawtelle place. Burial was in the Edson cemetery, under the direction of Undertaker Savage.

FORD—The funeral of the late Patrick Ford took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from his late home, 19 Tyler street and proceeded to St. Peter's church in Gorham street where a high mass of requiem was celebrated at nine o'clock by Rev. Fr. Heffernan. The choir was in attendance and sang the Gregorian mass and during the service appropriate selections were rendered by the members of the choir. There was a profusion of beautiful and appropriate floral offerings in evidence showing the esteem in which the deceased was held by his many friends and acquaintances. The bearers were five sons of the deceased, P. H., John E., Michael F., Francis F., and Daniel Ford.

The interment was in the Catholic cemetery where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Heffernan. The funeral was under the direction of Funeral Director Charles H. Molloy.

Dr Knapp and family have returned to Lowell from their summer cottage at East Chelmsford.

SOLD AT AUCTION.

DEDHAM, Aug. 3—The location, property and franchises of the Norfolk Western street railway company were sold at auction here today by F. S. Deputy Marshal McDonald to Fred S. Gore of Dorchester for $18,100. The railroad which is in the hands of receivers is mortgaged for $100,000 and the sale was conducted, subject to the mortgage. The road holds franchises extending from Dedham through Westwood, Dover, Walpole and Medfield and the line is about nine miles in length.

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ALARMING NEWS

Emperor William Receives Message From the Front

Japanese Lost 20,000 Killed and Wounded—Port Arthur a Death Trap For Japanese—Japanese Warship Sunk

ST. PETERSBURG, AUG. 3.—5.45 P. M.—THE CORRESPONDENT OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS HEARS THAT EMPEROR NICHOLAS HAS JUST RECEIVED A TELEGRAM CONTAINING ALARMING NEWS. IT IS ALSO REPORTED THAT VICEROY ALEXIEFF, WHO HAD GONE TO HARBIN ON HIS WAY TO VLADIVOSTOK, RETURNED TO LIAO YANG YESTERDAY AND CONFERRED WITH GENERAL KUROPATKIN REGARDING THE SITUATION.

M. WITTE TALKS WITH THE EMPEROR

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 3—M. Witte, president of the ministerial council, had an audience with the emperor today on the occasion of the signing of the German-Russian commercial treaty. The audience was long and before it ended M. Muraieff the minister of justice arrived and his majesty discussed with the two ministers the proposed reform of the ministry. It is considered more and more probable that M. Muravieff will become minister of the interior but if so he will not be chief gendarme, which now includes the department of political police, which was merged into this portfolio in the case of the late M. Von Plehve. The correspondent of the Associated Press is informed this evening from a high source that the emperor will not reach a final decision regarding the successor of the late Von Plehve until he consults his uncle, the Grand Duke Sergius tomorrow.

MAY LET UP ON SEIZURES

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—The state department is in telegraphic communication with its agencies abroad respecting the Russian seizures and destruction of American goods, but it is not yet ready to define precisely its position as to the whole subject of the seizure. These exchanges are intended solely to develop the purposes of the governments of other nations and particularly of Great Britain and Germany whose shipping has suffered more than that of any other. It is said here that the precedents already established in the Spanish and Boer wars as well as in the operations in China during the Black flag uprising have worked so satisfactory, and have received such universal approval that under no circumstances will America now recede from the doctrine that food stuffs not directly intended for the use of a belligerent army or navy can be regarded as contraband. While this contention is directly at variance with the Russian decree on the subject as promulgated at the beginning of the present war, in view of the fact that it is to be the German position and is certainly that of the British, the statement is sure of sufficient support to oblige the Russian government to desist from other seizures of American food-stuffs unless it can be clearly shown by the Russians that the food is destined for the Japanese army or navy. There is no disposition to make an issue further of the Ardova case. She had aboard a quantity of supplies for the Philippine government. The American government is willing to concede the right of stoppage and search to a reasonable degree and has But the mails on the vessel were ransacked and delayed and while all the facts are not at hand, it is possible, that some of these were among mails. Without further studying the subject the government here is not willing to admit the right of interference to this degree.

JAPANESE MINISTER NOTIFIED OF VICTORY

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—The Japanese minister today received a cablegram from the foreign office at Tokio reporting the battle of Simoucheng and the Russian retreat toward Haicheng. The cablegram says that an official report has been received at headquarters to the effect that on the 30th of July the Japanese force attacked the enemy at Simoucheng, about 15 miles southeast of Haicheng. The Russians occupied strongly entrenched heights at Simoucheng and the fighting continued during the 30th and 31st. Finally the Japanese left, driving the enemy before them, threatened the rear of the Russian main body and compelled the latter to retreat during the night toward Cheng.

The Russian forces were commanded by General Alexieff and consisted of two divisions of infantry and seven batteries of artillery. The Japanese captured six field guns and a number of prisoners. The Japanese casualties were about 400 killed and wounded while the Russians left 150 dead on the field.

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BROKE HIS ARM

Manuel Perry Fell From a Tree

AN ACCIDENT AT THE McMANUS PICNIC

Supt. Moffatt Attended the Injured Lad

Manuel Perry, aged 14 years, residing in Charles street court, off Charles street, was one of the happy children who left this city this morning for the picnic conducted by Constable McManus. Manuel is quite a baseball enthusiast and while the majority of the reserved seats at the park were taken when he got there, he got up on the limb of a tree and was enthusiag over the game when the limb broke and the little fellow was precipitated to the ground.

He was picked up by several people in the vicinity and is was found that his left ram had been briken by the fall. Supt. Moffatt, of the police department was near at the time and cutting a strip of wood from the tree, put the arm in splints, placed the boy on board an electric car in charge of several young men and telephoned for the ambulance which met the car at the square and the boy was taken to St. John's hospital where Dr. Irish treated the arm and said that the good work of Supt. Moffatt in putting the boy's arm in splints was done as well as a physician could do it.

GANS--GARDNER

Big Money Offered for Bout

If Joe Gans is not soon called upon to meet Jimmy Gardner of Boston for the lightweight championship of the world it will not be because the matchmakers of the San Francisco club are at fault. Yesterday the Hayes Valley A. C. of San Francisco wired to Al Herford to the effect that that organization was ready to give a purse for a twentyround bout between Gans and Gardner some time during October. The club is ready to receive forfeits of the men as soon as articles of agreement have been drawn up and signed, and the papers will be forwarded East as soon as the men consent to have it out.

Gardner is without doubt one of the best lightweights in the business. He has been rapidly forging his way to the front, and has any amount of admirers who really believe that he can take the adroit colored man's measure. In Boston there are several prominent sporting men ready to back him for a tidy sum if Gans consents to the match. It is not known on just what terms Gardner would agree to fight Gans, but as he can get to 130 pounds without trouble he will probably insist on 133 pounds, ring side, the lightweight limit.

CREOLE WON CUP.

COWES, Aug. 3—The Creole today won the Impress cup. The White Feather was second. The American yacht Ingomar was not placed. Fourteen yachts competed.

WM. F. SHEEHAN

Will Head Democratic Executive Committee

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 3.—Thomas Taggert, chairman of the democratic national committee, authorized the announcement today that William F. Sheehan of New York would be chairman of the national executive committee. He said he was not certain whether he would be able to announce the other members of the committee today.

Miss Etta Reading of A. G. Pollard's is spending a month's vacation at Salisbury beach.

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EXTRA

JOE SMITH WON

Judge Hadley Says He is Entitled to Salary

Judge Hadley has handed down his decision in the case of Joseph Smith vs. City of Lowell in favor of the plaintiff, finding for the latter a verdict of $200 and costs, and interest from the date of the writ, which is July 1903. Pratt & Devine appeared for the plaintiff while the city was represented by City Solicitor William A. Hogan.

The city, through its counsel, appealed and the case will be submitted to a higher court.

NANCE O'NEIL

Country Seat of Famous Actress Sold Out

Under Mortgage For $7500 Held by John Pilling Unknown to Miss O'Neil at Time of Sale

The Brindley estate in Tyngsboro which was purchased by Nance O'Neil, the well known actress, several months ago, was sold at a mortgagee's sale by Auctioneer Bruce yesterday afternoon, the sale having been instituted at the request of John Pilling who held a first mortgage of $7500 on the property. Proceedings have been instituted against the legality of the foreclosure and mortgagee's sale and it may be brought to court.

Several months ago Miss O'Neil purchased the property for a sum which was never made public and it was not known by the buyer that a mortgage of $7,500 was held by John Pilling and the Shepard & Fuller agency through which the property was sold informed a representative of The Sun this morning that they knew nothing of the mortgage held by Mr. Pilling. The representative of the real estate agency said that there were three mortgages on the property, a first mortgage amounting to $7500 held by John Pilling, another of $2500 held by a Mrs. Sanborn of Lawrence and another of $1000 held by a broker in New York. Owing to the fact that Mr. Pilling never made any demand for the interest on the mortgage which he held, and that the announcement of the sale by foreclosure was advertised in Somerville papers only they thought that it was a rather strange way of transacting business.

The deed of the property has not been passed as yet, the title being in the hands of the United States receiver at New York.

The property was knocked down for $7800 to J. Fred Hazeltine of Boston, the price paid being subject to taxes.

It is plain that the famous actress is not versed in real estate transactions or else she would have had a lawyer look up the title to the estate. The mortgagees have the prior right to the property. It is difficult to tell just at present who is the rightful owner and how many claims are held against the estate.

JUDGE PARKER

Will Decide Resignation Question Himself

ESOPUS, N. Y., Aug. 3.—Whether Judge Parker resigns his position of chief judge of the court of appeals before or after Aug. 6, his decision will not be influenced by practical politicians interested in his campaign for the presidency. In a manner so emphatic as to leave no doubt of his displeasure at the speculation published in relation to his approaching withdrawal from judical duties, Judge Parker said today that he would determine what his action will be without assistance or advice from anybody unless it is his associates on the bench.

When Judge Parker resigns the announcement will be made at Rosemount. He has declared positively that any gossip on this subject coming from any other source is unauthorized and merely speculative.

CHILD IS DEAD

She Swallowed Some Tablets

BARRINGTON, R. I., Aug. 3—C. Mandico, the three year old daughter of Placid Mandico of this town died late yesterday afternoon from the effects of swallowing a dozen pellets containing arsenic and strychnine, which she had found on a table in the living room of the family. She became very ill and died in a half hour.

LOST—A silver watch chain Aug. 1. Reward at 90 Albion st.

WANTED—Cigar salesman wanted, experience unnecessary, good pay; Emmanuel Co., Station "J," New York.

BOYS ARRESTED

CHARGED WITH BREAKING MILL WINDOWS.

FALL RIVER, Aug. 3—Three small boys the eldest not 12 years of age, have been summoned into court for breaking windows at the Stafford mills Monday night. About 100 panes of glass were broken.

Miss Margaret Carr of Lawrence street is spending her vacation at Old Orchard.

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6 O'CLOCK

KIDNAPPED GIRL

Held by Federal Officials in Chicago

RANSOM OF $200,000 HAS BEEN DEMANDED

Alleged Kidnappers are Under Arrest

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—Elsie Gellert, a little Danish girl of five years, is in the custody of the federal authorities here. Will Jensen and his wife, Mary Jensen, are also in custody, charged with having kidnapped the child in Denmark. While it is stated that the child's parents are wealthy and that a ransom of $200,000 has been demanded for her return to Denmark the Jensens insist that they are in rightful possession of the little girl. For more than two years the Danish government has been searching for the Jensens and detectives in every large city of the United States have been looking for them. Geo. Beich, acting consul in New York for the Danish government has arrived from the east armed with extradition papers and the correspondence between the two governments.

The story told by the Danish agents is that M. Gellert, father of the child, is one of the richest men of Denmark. In 1902 he had one daughter, Elsie, who was three years old. He had a valet of the name of Jensen and there was also in the family a young woman nurse. Mrs. Gellert was ill and the little girl was almost entirely in the charge of the nurse. The valet and nurse disappeared, it is said, taking the child with them.

POLICE AT SEA

HAVE NO CLUE TO MURDERER OF BOSWORTH.

NEW BRITAIN, Conn., Aug. 3—No clue has been found as yet pointing to the identity of the murderer of Eugene Bosworth who was attacked in a room which he was equipping apparently for gambling purposes in Ward's block here. In fact the police have today hardly a single fact in relation to the mystery, which was not in their possession a few minutes after the crime was discovered. That Bosworth was beaten into insensibility by one man and robbed of his 2½ carat diamond ring and whatever money he had in his pockets is practically all that is known. The police theory is that the murdered was an acquaintance of Bosworth, a man who knew approximately how much money he carried and who came to New Britain within a few hours of the murder with the intention of robbing him.

AN INQUEST

INVESTIGATION INTO CAUSE OF TORCELLI'S DEATH.

LINCOLN, R. I., Aug. 3.—An inquest into the death of Francisco Torcelli, who was drowned in Scott pond here last Thursday by the overturning of a boat, has been ordered by Coroner J. E. Duxbury of this town. George Plante and Patrick Callahan, who accompanied Torcelli in the boat, but who swam ashore, are held as witnesses under bonds of $500. The inquest will take place Aug. 9.

COADJUTOR BISHOP

REV. EDWARD OSBORNE CHOICE OF EPISCOPALIANS.

BOSTON, Aug. 3.—Rev. Edward Osborne of this city, who has been elected bishop coadjutor of the Episcopal diocese of Springfield, Illinois, is the superior of the American branch of the Society of Mission priests of St. John the evangelist. The headquarters of the organization are at Cowley, St. John, Oxford, England.

Fr. Osborne is about 65 years of age and is a native of England. For many years he was stationed at the Missionary house of the order in Africa, and India. A dozen years ago he succeeded Right Rev. C. A. Hall, now bishop of Vermont, as head of the Boston branch. Later he was made superior of the order in the United States. The society has charge of the church of St. John the Evangelist, St. Augustine's church and St. Martin's chapel in this city. At a previous election by the Springfield diocese Rev. G. McClellan Fiske, D. D., rector of St. Stephen's church, Providence, was chosen as coadjutor to the venerable Bishop Geo. F. Seymour. Rev. Dr. Fisk declined the election. Fr. Osborne will not announce his intentions until after he has been officially notified.

RAILROAD BONDS SOLD.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Aug. 3.—The following official announcement regarding the sale of New England railroad bonds was made from the office of President Mellen of the N. Y., N. H. & H. railroad today: "Ten million 5 per cent. New England railroad company general mortgage bonds, interest reduced to 4 per cent, were awarded yesterday afternoon to Messrs. J. P. Morgan & Co., the highest bidders under the terms of the circular at 106.-777 for the entire $10,000,000.

"These bonds are to pay off the $6,-000,000 7 per cent. and $1,000,000 6 per cent first mortage bonds of the New England railroad company, maturing Jan. 1, 1905."

Rheumatism

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INJURIES FATAL

Negro Struck by Arch of Tunnel

WAS STEALING RIDE ON FREIGHT TRAIN

Was Held on Car by a Companion

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Aug. 3—After holding a struggling dying companion on the roof of a freight car for many miles over the New York Central, Robert Buchanan, a New York boy appeared in the freight yards here and asked a brakeman to take the dying man from the roof of the car.

The boy had worked for and lived with an older brother but in consequence of a disagreement with him decided to leave home. He boarded a freight train in New York to go to Albany where he thought he might get work. He was in a car loaded with ties when the train started.

"At Spuyten Duyvil" the boy said "a negro got into the car. We talked together and when the train stopped, we went over the top of it toward the locomotive. I remember going through two tunnels. Then, I was struck by the wires that indicate another tunnel and I dropped quickly. The negro, who was ahead of me, was struck by the tunnel arch and thrown back against me so hard that he almost knocked me off.

"He was unconscious and his head was terribly cut. I laid him down on the top of the car and held his head on my arm. After a while he became conscious and tried to get on his feet and I had to hold him down with all my strength."

A watchman called an ambulance and took the negro to the hospital where he gave his name as John Miller. His face and head were crushed and an eye was gone. His injuries are so serious that he can not recover.

WAGES HELD UP

Corporations Kept Money to Pay Rent

CENTRAL FALLS, R. I., Aug. 3.—About a score of the strikers of the United States Cotton company, it was learned today, did not receive their wages at the mill offices yesterday on account of the fact that they were occupants of tenements controlled by the company, their wages being taken in lieu of rent. About half of the strikers have been successful in securing situations elsewhere and within a week it is believed that about 250 of them will have left to take their new positions.

MYSTERIOUS RACE

DR. STARR SAYS IT LIVES IN NORTHERN CHINA.

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—In quest of a mysterious white race, which lives in the mountains of northern China, Professor Starr, head of the department of anthropology, at the University of Chicago, will leave next spring for a long stay in the orient. After searching for the strange people in the mountains, Professor Starr may spend the remainder of his life among the Chinese, for he declares that China, within three years, will occupy the centre of the world in commerce. His plans were announced in his lecture to his class in anthropology.

According to Dr. Starr, he will leave the University of Chicago at the end of this year's work. His first stop after leaving America will be Japan, where he may remain for two years, living the life of the Japanese people. After this he will make his long visit to China, which he designates as "The coming nation". His return, he says, will depend on how well he likes Chinese life.

MOTORMAN DOE

SAID TO HAVE A CHANCE OF RECOVERY.

SOUTH FRAMINGHAM, Mass., Aug. 3.—All the patients at the South Framingham hospital as the result of the trolley car collision at Westboro Monday has passed a comfortable night and were better today. Motorman Edward Doe, while still on the dangerous list, showed an improvement in his condition today and it was said he had a chance of recovery.

KING EDWARD

MADE TWO INQUIRIES ABOUT MRS. PAGET'S CONDITION.

LONDON, Aug. 3.—Mrs. Arthur Paget, who fell down an elevator shaft at her residence Monday night, sustaining a fracture of the thigh, passed a good night.

King Edward sent twice to inquire about Mrs. Paget's condition. It will probably be some weeks before she is able to leave her room.

VOTING TRUST

FOR NATIONAL STEEL AND WIRE COMPANY.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Steps have been taken toward the creation of a voting trust for the National Steel and Wire company. If the plan is finally adopted, the trustees will be C. Huntington, Ogden Mills and Henry Munoir. The trust will be created for 30 years. The plant of the National Steel and Wire company is at New Haven, Conn.

EX-PREMIER VERY ILL.

PARIS, Aug. 3. The condition of former Premier Waldeck-Rousseau causes serious anxiety. It is feared the operation for stomach trouble of four months back has not resulted in a permanent cure.

SUIT FOR $20,000

Action Against Boston & Northern Road

An attachment was filed in the East Cambridge Court yesterday by Mary McGough against the Boston & Northern Street Railway Company for $20,000, in an action of tort.

Miss McGough claims that she was getting off a car on the corner of Main and Grove street, Melrose, on July 7, with due caution, and that the car started too soon and threw her to the ground, whereby she was injured.

HO! FOR THE BEACH

UNITED IRISH LEAGUE MAKES FINAL ARRANGEMENTS.

The United Irish League held a brief session last night at the headquarters in Barristers' hall and heard final reports on the arrangements for the picnic Thursday.

The greatest anxiety was felt in regard to the weather but the following assurance from the weather bureau through the Associated Press gave great satisfaction.

"Boston and vicinity—Wednesday showers, Thursday fair and warmer."

Patrick Connolly had returned from Revere with about $100 worth of free tickets for the beach shows to be distributed to ticket-holders on the cars. Each of the twelve leading shows contributed from 75 to 100 tickets each. This courtesy was extended last year, but has been given this year to no organization but the United Irish League in its "Ho! for the Beach" picnic. The program of the day is: Leave Merrimack square 7 a. m., on reaching State bathhouse at 9; march in a body to Scenic railway to serenade the manager, Mr. Pelton, next bathing, at 12.30 dinner at Hotel Pleasanton where the American and Irish flags will be displayed in honor of the picnickers. The afternoon will be given to using up the show tickets on all the leading shows along the beach. The cars will leave for home at 7 o'clock and arrive in Lowell soon after 9 o'clock.

After the meeting the members took cars for Anderson street where an enjoyable lawn party was held at the home of Mrs. Livesy.

NOTICE.

To prevent delay Thursday morning parties should get their tickets at Murphy's, 18 Appleton street, before 9 p. m. tonight. Round trip tickets 75 cents. Children's tickets 50 cents.

CONSULS WARNED

ADVISED TO HAVE GUARD WITH THEM.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 3.—The Porte has warned the embassies and legations to instruct their consuls in Macedonia not to leave the towns without escorts as the Macedonia revolutionists in Bulgaria are planning to kidnap or murder a consul with the view of enlisting foreign intervention.

CROSS BILL

FILED BY THE PENNSYLVANIA COMPANY.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 3.—A cross bill to the suit against the Western Union Telegraph company has been filed in the United States circuit court by the Pennsylvania company. The bill asks the court for a perpetual injunction against the defendant company to restrain it from using any portion of telegraph lines along the line of the Cleveland & Pittsburg railroad, claiming the defendant company has no right to the use of the poles or wires as all agreements and contracts made between the companies are now void.

A partition of the property or the sale of the telegraph lines is also asked.

MEMORIAL BOULDER

DEDICATED BY THE PEOPLE OF AMESBURY.

AMESBURY, Aug. 3—In connection with the old home week celebration here, a memorial boulder to mark the burial place of the founders and early settlers of the town, was dedicated today. The memorial was erected by the town improvement society and bears a bronze tablet with appropriate inscriptions. It is placed upon a site formerly included in the Golgotha burial grounds, which was abandoned as a cemetery some time ago. Hon Alden P. White of Salem, was the orator of the day. Josiah Bartlett Chapter, daughters of the revolution held a reception after the dedication.

GREAT DECREASE

IN TRAVEL TO MOUNTAIN AND SEASHORE.

BOSTON, Aug. 3.—The falling off in mountain and seashore travel this year is causing considerable comment in financial circles and steamship and railroad people are at a loss to account for this unusual condition of affairs, as on the whole, June and July have been unusually good in the summer months. July has proved a better travelling month than was anticipated and than the weather conditions warranted.

The New England steam railways have greatly reduced travel this summer and are able to offer no explanation as to the causes except that the people have felt the losses sustained through the decline in security values in connection with a restricted business year, while poorer working classes have been unable to travel through lack of employment, this being especially true in mill cities.

CRUISER DES MOINES SAILS.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3 The protected cruiser Des Moines sailed today from Hampton Roads for Boston to be present at the re-union of the Grand Army of the Republic.

TO RAISE TARIFFS.

RIO DE JANEIRO, Aug. 3—The chamber of deputies having passed on its first reading a bill raising the customs tariffs to a prohibitive rate, without consulting the Budget committee the representatives here of the U. S., Great Britain, Germany, Austria, Belgium, France and Italy, have simultaneously approached the government asking it to use its influence with congress for the maintenance of the old tariff.

ADVANCE IN SUGAR.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3 All grades of refined sugar were advanced 5 cents per hundred pounds.

McMANUS PICNIC

CHILDREN WAITING IN THE SQUARE FOR CARS TO EMBARK FOR THE McMANUS PICNIC.

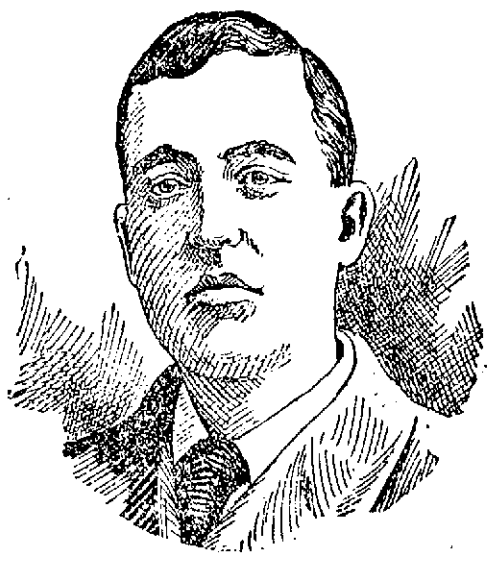
4000 Boys and Girls Enjoyed the Outing

Somewhere in the vicinity of 4000 of the poor children of Lowell frolicked at Mountain Rock today, and John McManus, the poor man's friend and strenuous tax collector, is their hero.

The little ones whose comforts are few have been living for weeks and months on the anticipation of what this day would bring forth. McManus' picnic was discussed every day and the realization of it was all that the boys and girls had dreamed of.

Thirty-three cars, large ones too, loaded to the "muzzle" with shouting children, left Merrimack square between 9 and 9.15 o'clock this morning and the words, "What's the matter with McManus? He's all right," were shouted in every street, and the racket made the poor man's friend feel happy.

Of course there was a great deal of disorder in and about the square. The boys and girls began to arrive as early as 6.30 o'clock and enough had assembled at 7.30 to start the "hurrah" for John McManus. At 8 o'clock the square and Bridge and Page streets were packed with boys who pushed, jumped, scrambled and wrestled for seats in the cars. Mr. McManus was there with his whip and he was a power with the boys. Lieutenant Webster and Officers Ryan and Lane did their level best to check the pent up enthusiasm of the happy children and they did succeed, with the splendid assistance of the starters, in loading the 4000 boys and girls for whom Constable John McManus has been working for weeks and weeks in order that they might enjoy the pleasures of an outing at Mountain Rock.



JOHN McMANUS.

The boys and girls carried fans and flags and once aboard the cars the shouting and waving of flags was resumed. Mayor Howe and Superintendent Moffatt were on hand and were recognized by a number of the boys who wanted to know what was the matter with the mayor and the superintendent and the chorus of youthful and penetrating voices sent back the answer, "They're all right".

"What's the matter with Tom Sayers?" shouted a small boy sandwiched in on a rear seat and again the chorus of voices answered, "He's all right". The scene in the square this morning brought back many tender recollections to the minds of the older ones and some of them joined in the joyous shout of the irrepressible "kids." It was the kind of a scene that makes a fellow forget for a time that he is old or growing old; the sort of scene that makes an old man try and persuade himself that he is not old, that his locks are not yet gray. As the cars came along the rush for each recalled the rush of the Japanese soldiers upon some Russian redoubt—in a general swarm.

The last car left the square at about 9.15 o'clock and men and women waved their handkerchiefs in response to the tireless waving of flags and fans by the boys and girls. There were no quiet moments on the way to Mountain Rock. They hollered at everything and everybody and the man busy in the field, leaned on his hoe and watched the long line of cars filled with the essence of youth and fun. There were some clever little singers in the lot and whenever the opportunity presented itself they would insert John McManus' name, making him the hero of their verse.

Arriving at Mountain rock the boys and girls proceeded to make that somewhat lonely spot the gayest of them all and they succeeded. The woods thereabout rang with the echoes of the merry voices and the birds flew higher in the trees alarmed at the sudden and very radical change that had taken place in their eden. The scene at the rock was one of wild and careless play. While those in charge were arranging for the sports hundreds of the boys were on the swings and utilizing every facility for amusement available, and the third annual picnic for the poor children of Lowell, organized by Constable John McManus, was at its height.

The sports, in charge of Cornelius Desmond, were attended by all the enthusiasm that goes with a crowd of lively boys who compete for prizes. The face of the boy that was wreathed in smiles on the way to the grounds was set and determined when he entered the sports and competed for prizes. The element that makes good soldiers and citizens was then apparent and the little fellows exerted themselves to their utmost to win. Of course there was the unavoidable dispute that was nipped in the bud by the managers of the sports and others who were there for the purpose of keeping order, such order as was possible under the circumstances. On the whole, however, the sports, despite the individual determination to win, were run off in a friendly way, and when dinner was announced there was an upheaval such as Mountain Rock had never before witnessed.

The appetite of the urchin asserted itself and the raid made on the tables was "a picture no artist could paint." Ham sandwiches, coffee and pies disappeared like straws in a wind storm. If they didn't all go by the same route it wasn't because they didn't start together. Pieces of ham were sandwiched in between the crusts of pies from which the contents had disappeared and knives and forks were thrown aside while fingers, not ever clean, did the transfer act from the table to the hungry mouths. It was a demonstration of the kind of appetite that made mother's pie taste so good and there were boys who were "too full for utterance" when dinner was over while some there were who as usual were crowded to the rear and got none of the good things provided.

The boy with the long reach had the advantage. In order to get their dinners the boys had a deal of reaching to do, and the man or woman who appeared in the open with pie or sandwiches did not reach his destination unless accompanied by body guards. It was a case of jump up, shove up, push up, and if you didn't get up you didn't get anything.

The small, sad-eyed boy witnessed his taller brother push his way through the crowd and emerge with a sandwich and a piece of pie and nine cases in ten the strong boy made it a double-header while the little sad-eyed fellow got "nary a morsel."

There may come a time when, on such occasions as today, some means will be provided whereby the boys and girls will all get a fair show and the man who will suggest the way will wear a wreath like unto the one that the children are preparing for Mr. McManus. While some of the boys slept on ful stomachs in the cars on the way home there were smaller boys and girls who rode on empty stomachs, but they all had a good time and the small boy forgot his hunger when the shouting was resumed.

Cornelius Desmond, who had charge of the sports, deprived himself and his assistants of their dinners and gave them to the boys and girls who appealed to Mr. Desmond for assistance. In all instances the men and women who were waiting on the children gave the girls the preference and in many instances where a piece of pie or a sandwich was being passed out to a pale-faced little girl it was snatched up by some big rough boy who had already been served.

Superintendent of Police William B. Moffatt and Thomas Sayers, division superintendent, were on hand and assisted in feeding and managing the children. It was a decidedly strenuous day for Officers Brown and Duncan, who were in the midst of the melee all day. The most sensational raid made during the no-license year was as nothing compared with their experience of today. If the children had been as many men the officers would certainly have drawn their clubs and used them with a vegeance. The perspiration penetrated their helmets and flowed in streams down their faces, wilting their collars and giving them the appearance of men recently taken from the water.

Officer Brown said he would rather spend three months in the Philippines than undergo another experinc such as he underwent today. It knocked everything silly that he ever witnessed during the Philippine campaign and all it lacked, he said, of an up-to-date charge was the roar of the cannon and the cries of the wounded.

The weather during the forenoon was all that could be desired, but the rain showed its hand shortly after the noon hour and so dampened the enthusiasm of some of the boys and girls that they boarded the cars for home. The first car load of the returning picnickers reached the square at about 1.30 o'clock. It was nearly 4 o'clock when the last car arrived and the cry of "What's the matter with McManus?" was resumed when the boys and girls landed in the square.

OLD HOME WEEK

PEOPLE OF MEDWAY DEDICATED A MONUMENT.

MEDWAY, Aug. 3—The feature of the Old Home Week celebration in this town was the dedication of a monument to the memory of Rev. Jacob Ide, D. D. and his wife, Mary (Emmons) Ide, under the auspices of the Medway Historical society. Dr. Ide who died in 1880 at the age of 95 years, was for over 60 years pastor and pastor emeritus of the Second (Congregational) church of Medway. President Rufus G. Fairbank of the Historical society presided at the day's exercises and Rev. Geo. K. Harlow delivered the dedicatory address. Previous to the exercises there was a memorial meeting in the Second church at which the principal address was given by Hon. T. Grover of Canton. Many prominent clergymen from all parts of the state were among those present.

NO ARRESTS YET

STATE DETECTIVES WILL MAKE FURTHER INVESTIGATION.

WORCESTER, Aug. 3—After consulting district attorney Rockwood here today, state detectives Molt and Murray decided to further investigate Monday's collision on the Boston and Worcester electric railroad before making any arrests.

POLO GAME POSTPONED.

NARRAGANSETT PIER, R. I., Aug. 3.—The poor condition of the polo ponies of the Rockaway first team resulting from the arduous play of Monday with the Bryn Mawr second team has necessitated the postponement of the polo game scheduled for today between the Rockaways and the Bryn Mawr firsts, for the junior championship at the Point Judith Country club. There will probably be no more games played until Saturday, Aug. 6th.

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LATEST

IT IS FAIRBANKS

He Accepts the Republican Nomination

ROOT DELIVERED THE NOTIFICATION SPEECH

Great Crowd Present at the Exercises

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 3.—Chas. Fairbanks, senator from Indiana, was today formerly notified of his nomination for vice president of the United States by the republican national convention. The notification address was made by Elihu Root, former secretary of war. The exercises were held on the wide veranda of Senator Fairbanks' beautiful hdome at 16th and Meridian streets in the presence of members of the notification committee consisting of one member from each state and territory, the governor and other state officials of Indiana, the republican candidates for state office, the Indiana republican congressional delegation, Indiana delegates and alternates to the national convention, the state central committee and the republican editorial association.

All these had been especially invited. On the lawn were several thousand friends, neighbors and political supporters of the senator and 1000 members of the Marion club, which had acted as escort for the distinguished visitors.

The house was elaborately decorated and on one side of the lawn, two large tents were topped by waving banners. The day was one of the most beautiful if the year and as Fairbanks stood on the veranda watching the finishing touches being put to the preliminary arrangements he smilingly said: "This is the kind we used to call McKinley weather."

The programme was similar to that arranged at Canton by former president McKinley on the occasion of his official notification. The especially invited guests were served with luncheon in large tents on the lawn and the general public was served with light refreshments in the house. The notification committee began to arrive on early trains. Shortly after noon the journey of one and one-half miles north, beneath the overlapping trees of Meridian street began. One thousand members of the Marion club acted as escort. In the first carriage rode Mr. Root and Gov. Durbin. The notification committee and other special guests followed in carriages. Several thousand persons along the line of march sent up frequent cheers as the procession moved.

Many residences along the line were profusely decorated. Gathered at the Fairbanks' residence were 5000 people. Senator Fairbanks and Mrs. Fairbanks received the committee and especially invited guests and with little delay Mr. Root and Senator Fairbanks led the way to the veranda where seats were arranged for all. An enthusiastic greeting was accorded the two speakers as they appeared on the veranda.

Mr. Root then without preliminary introduction addressed himself to the formal notification.

ROOT'S SPEECH.

In notifying Senator Fairbanks of his nomination, Mr. Root spoke as follows:

Senator Fairbanks:—The committee which now waits upon you was appointed by the national convention of the republican party held at Chicago in June, and its agreeable duty is to notify you of your nomination as the republican candidate for the office of vice president of the United States for the term to begin on the 4th day of March, 1905.

We give you formal notice of that nomination with assurance of the undivided and hearty support of the great party which has executed the people's will in the government of this country for the better part of the last half century. The nomination comes to you in accordance with the best methods and practices of representative government. It was the result of long and earnest consideration and discussion by the members of the convention. It was not the chance product of an excited hour, and it was not upon the demand of any powerful influence—political or otherwise—constraining the judgment of the delegates. It was not made for the purpose of conciliating possible malcontents, or of swelling the campaign fund of the party. No bargains or intrigues contributed to it. No suppressions of the truth or misleading of the convention as to your principles and opinions were necessary to bring it about. It was the deliberate, informed and intelligent judgment of the delegates from every state and territory, and it was their unanimous judgment.

It is a great office to which you are called. John Adams, and Thomas Jefferson, and George Clinton, and John C. Calhoun, and Martin Van Buren, and many others whose names are illustrious in the history of our country, have filled it. It is an office of high dignity and immediate, ever present importance. The credit and honor of our country are greatly concerned in the character and conduct of the man who presides over the senate of the United States—that powerful and august body, of which you are already so experienced, so useful and so honored a member.

But the vice president has other grave duties of imperative obligation. When the people elect a president under our political system, they do not merely select the man for the office; they give their approval to certain controlling principles and policies of government; and the administration of which the vice president is a part is bound to give effect to these principles and policies. The primary duty of the vice president is to be always ready to take up the burden of the presidency if occasion requires, carries with it the duty to be always ready to continue unbroken the policies which the people have entrusted to the administration for execution. For the due performance of this duty the vice president should be familiar with the conduct of affairs by the administration as it proceeds, a part of its counsels, and imbued with a knowledge of its labors, its perplexities and its motives, that can come only from intimate association and confidence and sympathy. Too often it has happened that after excited contests for the presidential nomination the candidate for vice president has been selected from the defeated faction for the purpose of appeasing their resentment, and that after election he has remained antagonistic in spirit, and a stranger to the counsels of the president whom he may may be called upon to succeed. Happily we are now in no such case. The people would fain see again such relations of sympathy and loyal helpfulness for the public good, as existed between President McKinley and Vice President Hobart; and the personal relations between President Roosevelt and yourself, your mutual esteem and good understanding assure us that these happy conditions will come again after the fourth of next March. We count upon your wisdom and experience and loyal aid as an element of ever present strength in the coming administration.

As to the supreme responsibility of the vice presidency in case of succession to the presidency, we shall all pray, and no one more earnestly than yourself that it may not come to you. But we are not at liberty to ignore the possibility that it may come. Sad and bitter experience admonishes us that provision for succession to the presidency is no idle form. Of the last twelve presidents elected by the people of the United States five—nearly one-half—have died in office and have been succeeded by vice presidents. A serious obligation rests upon the political parties which select the candidates between whom the people must choose, to see to it that they nominate men for this possible succession who have the strength of body and mind and character which shall enable them, if occasion comes, to take up the burdens of the great presidential office, to endure its trying and exhausting demands, to meet its great responsibilities, and with firm hand and clear vision to guide the government of the country until the people can express their choice again.

Our opponents of the democratic party have signally failed to perform this duty. They have nominated as their candidate for the vice presidency an excellent gentleman, who was born during the presidency of James Monroe, and who before the 4th of March next will be in the eighty second year of his age. Before the next administration is ended, he will be approaching his eighty-sixth birthday. It is no disparagement of this gentleman, for whom I believe we all have the highest respect, to say that he shares the common lot of mortals, and that the election of any man of such great age would furnish no safeguard to American people against the disaster which would ensue upon the death of a president with a successor not competent to perform the duties of the presidential office. It is common experience that very aged men, however bright and active they may appear for brief periods cannot sustain long continued severe exertion. The demands of the presidential office upon the mental and physical vitality are so great, so continuous and so exhausting, as to be wholly beyond the capacity of any man of eighty-five.

The attempt by such a man to perform the duties of the office would with practical certainty be speedily followed by a complete breakdown both of body and of mind. In contemplating the remote possibility of the election of the democratic candidate for vice president, the people of the country are bound to contemplate also as a necessary result of such an election in case of the president's death, that others, not chosen by the people, and we know not who, would govern in the name of a nominal successor unable himself to perform the constitutional duties of his office; or worse still, that serious doubt whether the vice president had not reached a condition of "inability" within the meaning of the constitution would throw the title to the office of president into dispute.

The serious effect of such an event upon the government and upon the business interests and general welfare of the country, and the serious effect even of the continual menace of such an event, must be apparent to every thoughtful mind.

In your election, on the other hand, this chief requirement will be fully met. In the full strength of middle life you are prepared for the exhausting duties of the presidency. Your successful and distinguished career, the ability and probity with which you have already discharged the duties of high office, the universal respect and esteem of the people of Indiana who have delighted to honor you, the attachment of hosts of friends throughout the union all assure us that you have the character and the ability to govern wisely and strongly should you become president. Many indeed among our people have already turned toward you as a suitable candidate to be elected directly to that great office.

It is the earnest wish of your party and of many good citizens who have no party affiliations that you shall accept this nomination, and that you shall be elected in November to be next vice president of the United States. In expressing to you this wish, we beg to add an assurance of our own personal respect, esteem and loyalty.

Senator Fairbanks was given another ovation as he arose to accept the nomination.

FAIRBANKS ACCEPTS.

Senator Fairbanks spoke as follows:

"Mr. Root and Gentlemen of the Committee: I thank you for the very generous terms in which you have conveyed the official notification of my nomination for vice president of the United States. The unsolicited and unanimous nomination by the republican party is a call to duty which I am pleased to obey.

"I accept the commission which you bring with a profound sense of the dignity and responsibilities of the exalted position for which I have been nominated. My utmost endeavor will be to discharge in full measure the trust, if the action of the convention shall meet the approval of the American people.

"The platform adopted by the convention is an explicit and emphatic declaration of the principles in entire harmony with those policies of our party which have brought great honor and prosperity to our common country, and which, if continued, will bring us like blessings in the future.

"The monetary and economic policies which have been so forcibly reannounced lie at the very foundation of our industrial life, and are essential to the fullest development of our national strength. They give vitality to our manufactures and commerce, and if impaired or overthrown, there would inevitably ensue a period of industrial depression, to the serious injury of the vast interests of both labor and capital.

"The republican party since it preserved the integrity of the republic and gave freedom to the oppressed, never rendered a more important service to the country than when it established the gold standard. Under it we have increased our currency supply sufficiently to meet the normal requirements of business. It is gratifying that the convention made frank and explicit declaration of the inflexible purpose of the party to maintain the gold standard. It is essential not only that the standard should be as good as the best in the world, but that the people should have the assurance that it will be so maintained.

"The enemies of sound money were powerful enough to suppress mention of the gold standard in the platform lately adopted by the democratic national convention. The leader of democracy in two great national campaigns has declared since the adjournment of the convention that as soon as the election is over, he will undertake to organize the forces within the democratic party for the next national contest, for the purpose of advancing the radical policies for which his element of the party stands. He frankly says that the money question is for the present in abeyance. In view of these palpable facts, it is not the part of wisdom to abandon our vigilance in safeguarding the integrity of our money system. We must have not only a president who is unalterably committed to the gold standard, but both houses of congress in entire accord with him upon the subject.

"In congress and not with the president rests the supreme power to determine the standard of our money. Though the chief executive should oppose the congress, acting within its independent constitutional authority, could at any time overthrow or change the monetary standard.

"The wisdom of our protective policy finds complete justification in the industrial development of the country. This policy has become a most vital part of our industrial system, and must be maintained unimpaired. When altered conditions make changes in schedules desirable, their modification can be safely intrusted to the republican party. If they are to be changed by the enemies of the system along free trade lines, uncertainty will take the place of certainty, and a reaction would surely follow to the injury of the wage earners and all who are now profitably employed. Uncertainty undermines confidence, and loss of confidence breeds confusion and distress in commercial affairs.

"The convention was wise not only in its enunciation of party policies, but in its nomination of a candidate for the presidency. During the last three years President Roosevelt has been confronted with large and serious questions. These he has met and solved with high wisdom and courage. The charges made against him in a democratic platform find an irrefutable answer in his splendid administration, never surpassed in all the history of the republic, and never equaled by the party which seeks to discredit it.

"The election of the president is imperatively demanded by those whose success depends upon the continuance of a safe, conservative and efficient administration of public affairs.

"We have an ample record of deeds done, of beneficent things accomplished in the public interest. The vast business of the government has been well administered. The laws have been enforced fearlessly and impartially. The treasury has been adequately supplied with revenue, and the financial credit of the government was never better. Our foreign trade balance continues to increase our wealth. We have adopted an irrigation policy which will build homes in the arid regions of the west. The Panama canal, the hope of centuries, is in course of construction, under the sole protection of the American flag.

"We have peace and great prosperity at home, and are upon terms of good neighborhood with the entire world. These conditions constitute the strongest possible assurance for the future.

"Later I shall avail myself of a favorable opportunity to submit to you, and through you, to my fellow citizens, a fuller expression of my views concerning the questions now at an issue.

"Permit me again to thank you and to express the belief that we may confidently submit our cause to the candid and patriotic judgment of our countrymen."

Both speeches were met with frequent outbursts of applause. As Senator Fairbanks concluded there were cordial greetings all around.

IN POLICE COURT

Offenders Disposed of in Brief Session

Twelve men occupied the dock in police court this morning while one woman was seated on the settee outside the rail. All excepting two of the unlucky number were in for drunkenness and Judge Pickman, who occupied the bench disposed of the offenders in quick order, twelve minutes being consumed in the disposition of the various cases.

Peter E. Riley and Thomas F. Lynch were charged with evading car fare, and both men pleaded guilty. The conductor on the train of the Boston & Maine railroad which leaves the Middlesex street station at 10.22 testified that both men jumped on the front of a baggage car after the train had started and that at Tyngsboro they refused to pay their fare. They were fined $15 each.

Frank Treadwell of Tewksbury drove a handsome and spirited horse and a wagon that was ready to collapse through Nesmith street last evening, but he was so intoxicated that Sergt. Crowley thought he would be safer in the police station for the night. After getting Treadwell to the station in safety he drove the rig to Keefe's stable. This morning in court Treadwell with another man was released.

Thomas Lindsey was a second offender, having been before the court on the 23d of May and fined $5. He was allowed to go on the payment of a $6 fine. Richard Hurley was also a second offender, having been before the court on the 27th of May. He also drew a $6 fine. Louis Lachance was in the day before yesterday on a charge of drunkenness and was before the court again this morning, but the court allowed him to go on the payment of $6.

Seven first offenders drew $2 fines.

FRENCH CRUISER SAILS.

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 3.—The French armored cruiser Dupleix, which has been here for several days sailed for Boston today. It was expected that she would reach Boston before night, where she will remain for a short time and then go to Bar Harbor and Halifax.

STRIKE AID DISTRIBUTED.

FALL RIVER, Aug. 3—The carders union will pay its first week's strike allowance Friday, when it is estimated about $3000 will be distributed to the union members.

RUSSIAN-JAPANESE WAR

Continued.

FEARFUL LOSS SUFFERED BY JAPS

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 3 10.20 p. m.—The first report of the storming operations at Port Arthur has just been received from the consul of Russia at Chefoo, dated today. It says a general attack began Saturday with the Japanese in large force. There were two days of bombardment of unprecedented force. The Japanese casualties possibly reached 20,000 but the Russian losses were insignificant.

The council further reports the Russians have an abundance of ammunition. The telegram does not mention naval operations but it is considered possible that the Russian warships participated in shelling the besiegers from the sea.

The exact date of the events reported in this telegram is not clear as the method of transmission is not disclosed. It is possible that it was by a wireless message reporting events which have occurred since last Saturday. On the other hand, the message may have gone by junk to Chefoo, in which case it refers to events of a week ago and practically covers the reports mentioned in the Associated Press despatches from Chefoo. In either case the reports have been received with considerable joy after the pessimistic rumors spread abroad from foreign sources last week. It seems apparent that the Japanese advance against Gen. Kuropatkin was timed to occur simultaneously with the assault upon Port Arthur.

SOLDIERS DIED FROM SUNSTROKE

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 3.—General Kuropatkin's armies are now concentrating upon Liao Yang, falling back respectively upon Anshanshan, Llandiansian and Anping, as predicted in the despatches of the Associated Press.

These three points form a ring of closely knit defences around Liao Yang and enable General Kuropatkin to risk a general engagement. The only cause for anxiety is Anping, and General Kuropatkin's words that he hoped the troops would hold that place indicate a misgiving. The Japanese evidently realized the advantage of attacking this point and directed their strongest advance along the Saisazti-Liao Yang line.

A brief telegram from General Kuropatkin received this morning reports the evacuation of Haicheng and declares the Japanese did not continue the attack toward Liao Yang Aug. 2, adding that they evidently were unable to follow up their advantage of the previous day owing to the stubborn resistance of the Russians coupled with the tropical heat. The general says the soldiers threw away their overcoats and equipments and adds that everything possible was done to relieve them, but nevertheless there was a great number of deaths from sunstroke. He does not specify the casualties of the battle and makes no mention of the loss of guns.

JAPANESE CRUISER SENT TO BOTTOM

ROME, Aug. 3.—The Giornale D'Italia today published in an extra edition a despatch from Tokio announcing that the Japanese armored cruiser Kasagura (formerly the Argentine warship Rivardavia, and purchased by Italy) had been sunk. The announcement caused a great sensation here.

JAPANESE VICTORIOUS AFTER SHARP FIGHTING

TOKIO, Aug. 3.—10 a. m.—The Japanese defeated the Russians at Tomucheng (Simoucheng) and drove them toward Haicheng in a sharp fight which began last Saturday and ended on Sunday. The Russians left 1500 dead on the field and lost six guns.

The Russians occupied a range of high hills north of Tomucheng (Simoucheng) which were strongly defended with covered trenches, a fortress and covered emplacements, which consumed months in constructing. The Japanese seized a range of heights to the southward on Saturday. They began the attack at daylight on Sunday.

The Japanese left wing encountered severe opposition. The Russians were gradually reinforced and their artillery was increased to 21 guns. The Japanese, who were also reinforced, renewed the attack at 3 o'clock in the afternoon and drove the Russians northward. The Japanese right, exposed to a severe artillery fire was forced to halt. The Russians who were reinforced, assumed the offensive at 5.30 o'clock in the evening, but were repulsed with a heavy loss. The Russian artillery prevented the Japanese from pursuing and during the night the Russians withdrew toward Haicheng. The Japanese casualties were about four hundred.

General Kuroki has telegraphed that in the two days fighting at Yangtsuling and Yushulintzu, his losses were six officers killed 16 officers wounded, and nine hundred and fifty men killed and wounded.

HAICHENG EVACUATED BY THE RUSSIANS

LONDON, Aug. 3.—A despatch to the Central News from Haicheng, under date of Aug. 2, says that in consequence of the desperate fighting of the last few days and the Japanese turning movement, the Russians have been compelled to evacuate Haicheng and fall back on Anshanshan.

TROOPS AFFECTED BY THE HEAT

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 3.—In a despatch to the emperor dated Aug. 2, Gen. Kuropatkin says: "Our troops have retired from Haicheng along the road toward Anshanshan. The movement was accomplished in perfect order and the enemy did not disturb us.

"The terrible heat has caused many sunstrokes and measures have been taken to diminish the equipment the troops have hitherto been obliged to carry by transporting it in supply carts. There is no serious news from the eastern front."

NO OTHER PROTEST FROM GREAT BRITAIN

ST PETERSBURG, Aug. 3—Russia has not received any further protest from Great Britain for including foodstuffs in the list of contraband of war. This statement in the house of commons Monday that Foreign Secretary Lansdowne had instructed the British ambassador here to protest to Russia against the inclusion of foodstuffs in the list of articles declared contraband probably referred to the protest preferred by the ambassador a month ago. The Russian government has not yet made any further reply in the case of the British steamer Knight Commander (sunk by the Vladivostok squadron) but it is expected that a reply will shortly be made. All precedents bearing on the destruction of neutral vessels carrying contraband when it is impossible to have them taken before a prize court are being examined. It is believed Great Britain is insisting on assurances that there will be no repetition of such incidents in advance of the judicial determination, and that if this is not obtainable to her satisfaction that it is her intention to offer to refer the case to The Hague arbitration Tribunal.

RUSSIAN LOSS OF 1000 MEN

LIAO YANG, Tuesday, Aug. 2.—The Russian attempt to push back a numerically superior force of Japanese from Kuchiatza on July 31, resulted in an admitted Russian loss of 1000 men.

RUSSIAN HOSPITALS ARE CROWDED

CHEFOO, Aug. 3, 11 a. m.—As related by the passengers of two junks which arrived here today, a Japanese assault on Port Arthur began from Kwokau, before daybreak July 26, and was directed against Kikwan, Kinkiatun, Kgahan and Pehtoushan forts, lying near shore. The Russian outposts were driven back.

In the meantime, Admiral Togo shelled the forts at long range, but the return fire of the forts kept his ships at a safe distance, rendering the cooperation of the fleet ineffective.

On the morning of July 27, the Russian fleet steamed out, keeping under the protection of the Golden Hill guns. The Russian vessels did not fire on the Japanese, but soon returned to their anchorage.

The assault on the northern side of the city occurred July 27. The Japanese left at Hsikiu advanced on the Russians at Shinshi Ying but were repulsed.

The junks were within hearing distance for three days after leaving but no more firing was heard.

The Russian hospitals at Port Arthur are said to be swamped. Thousands of wounded are lying in houses and shops of the Chinese, the owners having been evicted with the exception of one who acts as care taker of each place. Medical attention is adequate.

RUSSIAN FORCE IS HARD PRESSED

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 3, 4.10 p. m. Whether a general engagement is already progressing around Liao Yang between the forces of General Kuropatkin and the three Japanese armies which have been moved against them from the south and east, the decisive battle of the campaign is regarded as certain if the Japanese energetically follow up their preliminary successes of the last three days. At various points the fighting has been of a desperate and bloody character, the Russians offering the most stubborn resistance. The losses, therefore, although large are not yet established, must be heavy on both sides. Between 6000 and 8000 men is one estimate given of the Russian losses. All the estimates, however, are little better than guess work as yet and possibly the Russian casualties may be much larger.

The strong screen drawn around Kuropatkin's interior position has been driven in at all points, Haicheng being practically abandoned without a blow. The pressure of the Japanese numbers and the failure to hold the Northern positions probably rendered it useless to try to hold out there.

The Russian forces last night constituted a compact chain in the form of a semi-circle around Liao Yang, extending from Anshanshan, half way between Haicheng and Liao Yang, to Anping, which is only 13 miles east of Liao Yang. Unless the bulk of General Kuropatkin's army has already been withdrawn north of Liao Yang, it is difficult to see how he could now do so with such great pressure, the Japanese being almost upon his main lines. Inasmuch as portions of four army corps were engaged in the fighting up to last night and as these corps comprise three quarters of the whole Russian army, it seems certain that nothing except a portion of the stores and ammunitions have yet been removed.

Nevertheless well informed military attaches express the opinion that General Kuropatkin will get away with the bulk of the main army if he finds the chances against him.

From the best information obtainable as to General Kuropatkin's dispositions his forces were located this morning as follows: General Zarubouleff's and General Stakelberg's corps formed the right wing at Anshanshan, the first Siberian (late General Keller's) and the Tenth European corps were on the left. The recently arrived 17th corps and the portion of General Stoessel's corps which is not at Port Arthur were at Liao Yang. Intense anxiety prevails in all circles. All newspaper specials from the front are suspended, which is considered ominous.

RUSSIA'S CONCESSION TO GREAT BRITIAN

LONDON, Aug. 3.—In order to avoid complications which might have the effect of extending the area of war, Russia has made a partial concession to Great Britain in connection with the Dardanelles question. Replying to British representations regarding the closure of the Dardanelles to vessels of the volunteer fleet intended for warlike uses as well as warships, Count Beneckendorff, the Russian ambassador to Great Britain, it is learned has advised Foreign Secretary Lansdowne that his government consents to waive the right to send ships through the straits during the present war but at the same time Russia makes no concession in relation to the general principle involved and reserves to herself the right to take such action as she deems proper when the war with Japan terminates. The British government would like a complete settlement, but Russia does not propose to negotiate on this subject if avoidable, while the war is in progress. Beyond a preliminary lamentation from Count Beckendorff to the effect that Russia will make a response to the British protest against the sinking of the British steamer Knight Commander by the Vladivostok squadron when the report of Admiral Jessen reaches St. Petersburg, the foreign office here has received nothing on the subject.

COTTON REPORT.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3—The monthly report of the chief of the bureau of statistics of the department of agriculture will show the average condition of cotton on July 26, to have been 91.6, as compared with 88 on June 25, 1904, 79.7 on July 26, 1903, 81.9 on July 25, 1902, and a ten year average of 89.3.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

DEATHS

JOY—Noah T. Joy, a former resident of Lowell, died Sunday at the Bertram Home for Aged Men at Salem, Mass. Mr. Joy will be remembered by many old residents as a member and prompter of Brooks, Owens and Davis' orchestra. His age was 72 years. He was a member of the G. A. R. post of Salem, who attended his funeral service at Salem, Tuesday morning; also a member of Wamesit lodge, No. 25, Knights of Pythias of this city. He leaves one brother in Fitchburg, one sister in Roxbury and a son, Walter, of Springfield, Vermont.

The burial was at Woodlawn cemetery, Nashua, yesterday afternoon, and was in charge of a delegation from Wamesit lodge, K. of P.

GALLOWAY—Emily Galloway, aged six months, child of Timothy and Matilda, died this morning at the home of her parents, 8 Union street.

PERSONALS

The Misses Gaffey of Coburn street and Miss Anna McKenna of Salem street are spending their vacation in New York.

Miss Della Sullivan of Dracut has returned home after spending a month with friends in Fall River, accompanied by her cousin, Miss Julia Leary.

We understand that Wm. H. French, an old resident of Lowell, who has been confined in the hospital at Hawthorne for the past few months, will be with us before many days.

STOCK MARKET

Today's Quotations on Active Stocks

The following are the closing quotations of today's stock market for active stocks:

NEW YORK STOCKS

Am Sugar	129⅝
A & T	78
B & O	84½
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	51⅝
Chi & G W	14¼
C M & P	147
C R & P	22½
Con Gas	195
Del & Hud	160
Erie R R	26
Erie 1st	62⅝
Manhat Con	149⅞
Mo Kan & Tex	17⅝
Mo Kan & Tex pfd	41
Met St Ry	118⅝
Mis Pac	92⅝
N Y Cen	119
N Y Ont & W	31⅛
Penn	120
Peoples' Gas	100⅛
Reading	52⅝
Reading pfd	83
Reading 2d pfd	70
So Pac	50⅝
So Pac rights	2⅝
Tenn Coal & Iron	45⅝
Tex & Pac	26
Union Pac	95⅝
Union Pac pfd	93½
US Steel	12⅝
U S Steel pfd	61⅝
Wabash	16⅝
Wabash pfd	35⅛
W U Telegraph	88⅝
U S Leather	7
U S Leather pfd	82⅝

BOSTON STOCKS

Adventure	.75
Amalgamated	52⅛
American Wool	11¼
American Wool pfd	77½
Am Tel & Tel	135¼
Arcadian	1
Atlantic	9
Anaconda	13⅛
Allouez	8⅝
B & Albany	248
B & Maine	158
Bingham	24⅝
Calumet & Hecla	480
Centennial	24½
Chicago Junction	141⅝
Chicago Junction pfd	122
Copper Range	62⅝
Daly-West	13½
Dom Coal	47½
Dom Coal pfd	105
Dom Steel	8⅝
Elevated	150
Elm River	2⅝
Fitchburg pfd	137
Franklin	7
Mass	4
Mass Gas	30
Mass Gas pfd	82⅝
Mass Electric	17⅝
Mass Electric pfd	70
Mex Cen	9⅝
Michigan	4
Mohawk	42⅛
Mont C & C	4
N E Tel	123½
N Y, N H & H R R	189½
Osceola	84
Old Colony Mine	96⅝
Old Colony R R	203
Old Dominion	13½
Shannon	5½
Royal	10⅝
Rhode Island	77
Tamarack	89
Parrott	24⅝
Quincy	84
Santa Fe	1⅝
Trinity	7⅝
United States	21⅞
Utah	38
U S Oil	10⅝
Winona	7⅝
Wolverine	78
Western Tel	13½
Western Tel pfd	91½
Victoria	2⅝
West End	91
West End pfd	112
Wyandotte	65

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NOT IDENTIFIED

Drowned Man May be Robert Blackwood

The body of the man who was drowned in the Merrimack river, and whose body was found last Friday morning, and who was buried in the Edson cemetery Monday afternoon by Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons, may be that of Robert Blackwood of 98 Newbury street Lawrence who has been missing from his home since a week ago today.

William Hanachar of 47 Summer street, that city, thinks that the body is that of Blackwood, and says that he can identify the body by the clothes which the dead man wore. He is expected to arrive in this city this afternoon and try to identify the clothing.

The Lawrence Sun today published the following:

An investigation has proved that the body found in the Merrimack river last week is not that of Robert Blackwood of 98 Newbury street, who has been missing from his boarding place for five weeks.

James Henderson, with whom Blackwood boarded, went to Lowell and examined the clothes and the watch taken from the body of the unknown man and satisfied himself that the body was not that of his boarder. Blackwood had the initials "R. B." on every piece of his underwear, and the absence of these means of identification makes it almost certain that the owner was not Blackwood. William Hanacher, who notified the police of the disappearance of Blackwood, has notified the authorities that he is satisfied the body is not Blackwood's.

The missing man did not take away any articles of baggage with him when he went, the key to his room was left in the door and it was thought he went out for a short walk and would soon return.

The missing man was a weaver in one of the mills and he was also a good designer, having given lessons to many young men in this city in the art of designing. Some time ago he disappeared for a week in the same way as his recent disappearance and much anxiety was felt for his safety.

Miss Lena Donaldson, of the A. G. Pollard Co. store, has returned from Winthrop where she spent her vacation.

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CRYSTAL THEATRE, 314 Middlesex Street, THURSDAY, AUG. 4th, 2 and 7 p. m. JOHN D. RAYMOND.

FRANK B. SANBORN

An Noted Crook and Deceiver Held For Trial

Took Young Girl on Criminal Trip, Stealing and Swapping Horses as He Went—He Was Formerly Arrested in Lowell

Frank B. Sanborn, well known to the police of this city, stole a horse and carriage in New Haven, Conn., July 20, and with Miss Bessie Levie drove to Clinton.

On Friday they swapped the horse with Howard Bros. Friday night they were in Nashua, N. H., and Monday they went to Hooksett, where they swapped horses again. Thursday they were in Franklin Falls, N. H. Thursday night they were arrested at Plymouth, N. H. Saturday night they were brought back to Clinton, and Monday morning they were arraigned in the district court at Clinton. A rather speedy dozen days.

On Saturday Deputy Sheriff C. A. Bartlett started after the pair and met W. F. Howard and the chief of police of Laconia at Nashua. Sanborn and the girl made no fight against coming back to Clinton and they were locked up in cells at the police station shortly after 8 o'clock that night. On Sunday, Miss Bessie Levie, or as she claims to be, Mrs. Sanborn, communicated with her mother at Portland, Me., by telephone and Sanborn also talked with his people at Franklin Falls, N. H.

Sanborn was arraigned on the charge of forgery, it being alleged by Chief Bates that he on May 15, 1903, passed a forged check for $15 upon Henry Girard, proprietor of the Brunswick House. He pleaded not guilty and he was ordered to furnish $500 sureties for his appearance yesterday for trial. He was taken back to his cell but before being arraigned at 10.30 o'clock, charged with the larceny of Howard Bros.' rig, he had a change of heart and pleaded guilty and was held in the same sureties for the grand jury.

Mrs. Max Levie of Portland, Me., the mother of the young girl, telephoned that she was on her way to Clinton, and asked that there be a postponement of court proceedings until she could get to Clinton, which was done.

Sanborn was arraigned first. When asked to plead to the charge of the larceny of a horse and harness, the property of Howard Bros., he replied "guilty," and sat down. The court, stating that the case went beyond his jurisdiction, ordered him to furnish sureties in the sum of $800 for his appearance before the grand jury. Then Sanborn asked the court if he might speak, and being given the opportunity he arose and leaning on the witness stand, said: "My wife, Mrs. Sanborn, had nothing to do with the case, she knew nothing about it. She is not guilty and I want to stand the entire consequences of the case myself." The court said that he would have a chance to make a statement when the woman was arraigned.

Miss Bessie Levie when brought into the court room broke down and cried when placed in the dock. She pleaded not guilty of the charge of the larceny of the horse and harness. Her mother was called to the witness stand and she testified that Bessie is but 16 years of age. The family lived for many years in Boston, but about three years ago moved to Portland. Because of the age of the girl, she being under 17 years of age, it was necessary to notify the state board of charities, before her case could be disposed of. So there was a continuance until next Monday morning, she being ordered to furnish $50 sureties for her appearance at that time. The mother and sister left the court room to telephone to Portland to secure bail, if possible.

Sanborn, when asked why he started on such a criminal career, said that he did not know unless it was from the effects of cigarettes. He told the officers that he had never married the Levie girl. She claims that they were married six weeks ago last Saturday. In court, as stated, he acknowledged by his plea for her that they were married.

Frank D. S. Sanborn of Franklin, N. H., who has just been arrested for stealing a horse from Howard Bros. of Clinton, Mass., has had a spectacular career. Sanborn is the adopted son of Captain A. B. Sanborn and wife of Franklin, N. H. Several years ago Captain Sanborn was engaged in business in New Haven, Conn. The home of the boy adjoined that of Captain Sanborn and he frequently called at the Sanborn residence. Captain and Mrs. Sanborn had an only daughter dying from consumption and she, knowing that the boy had become an orphan, exacted a promise from her parents that they would adopt him. They did so and during the years the lad was growing to manhood he was given every educational advantage. Since young Sanborn attained his majority he has given his foster parents no end of trouble. It is said that one of his first acts was to remove a library from the home of friends of the Sanborns in New Haven during their absence and sell it. Heretofore Captain Sanborn has come to the rescue of the young man when in trouble, but now he declares that he will assist him no longer and desires that he pay the penalty of his alleged crime.

Frank Sanborn is under arrest in Maine, and is wanted in many New England cities, including Lawrence. In September, 1901, Sanborn and Elsie Robertshaw of Methuen were before the police court at Lawrence on a charge of larceny from one Luke Welch, who claimed that the girl had stolen $10 from him while he was asleep in a room in a hotel. The girl told the police that she had given the money to Sanborn. He was located in Lowell and was returned to that city by a Lawrence officer.

Sanborn was tried on the charge of receiving stolen property, convicted and sentenced to six months in the house of correction. At that time he had been out of jail only a month.

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JUDGE'S ADVICE

How to Cure Booze-Fighting Husband

HAVERHILL, Aug. 3.—"One of the first things a woman should do who has a husband that is addicted to drink is to see to it that he gets three good, well-cooked meals every day, so as to destroy the craving for strong drink, which is brought on, partially at least, by an empty stomach."

This was the comment of Judge Abbott in the district court yesterday, when he continued the case of Samuel Whittemore until Sept. 2. The accused was charged with assault with a dangerous weapon upon his wife. Whittemore is widely known in this vicinity having been engaged in the manufacture of brick for many years.

The 4-year-old daughter of the prisoner, Laura Whittemore, was the principal witness in the case. She testified that last Sunday evening she returned home with her mother about 7.30. Her father met them at the door, warned them not to enter the house, and when they refused to go away, discharged a revolver.

Mrs. Whittemore testified that at times her husband made life unbearable for her. She was convinced that last Sunday evening, when she returned home with her daughter, her husband meant to shoot her, although she was unable to say whether he pointed the revolver at her when he discharged it.

Whittemore himself said he told his wife that he wanted supper ready at 7 o'clock Sunday evening, as he had an engagement which he wished to keep. He was angry when she did not return home in time. He claimed that his wife had been disagreeable for a few days previous, and for that reason he did not want her in the house when she returned Sunday evening.

"I never had any idea, said Mr. Whittemore, "of shooting my wife. I admit that I intended to scare her, and that was because I was mad at her failure to return home and prepare the supper for 7 o'clock, as I had requested her to do."

The prisoner said that he purchased the revolver, and his wife purchased the cartridges, the weapon having been secured to shoot cats with.

Inspector Shannon was sent to the home of the Whittemores at Dustin square. When he returned, he confirmed the statements of the accused that there was a bullet hole in the floor of the dining room. The prisoner claimed that when he discharged the weapon he pointed it at the floor and not at his wife.

In summing up the case Judge Abbott besides advising the wives of drinking husbands to feed them well, remarked that the foudness of the accused for liquor was at the bottom of all his troubles. But he did not consider Whittemore wholly to blame for the disturbance which occurred at his home last Sunday evening.

He found Whittemore technically guilty of assault, stating that he did not believe that Whittemore intended committing a felony as charged. He ordered the case continued one month for settlement, as Whittemore promised to secure work in another place.

SAVED HOTEL

BOSTON BALL PLAYERS GOOD FIRE FIGHTERS.

CLEVELAND, O., Aug. 3.—The members the Boston baseball club prevented a panic in the big Euclid hotel where they are stopping, and saved the building from possible destruction by fire after yesterday's baseball game.

The members of the team were being taken to their rooms on the sixth floor when pitcher Dineen and second baseman Ferris remarked that they smelled smoke. At the fifth floor they saw flames issuing from a room. The elevator was stopped. Dineen, Ferris, Parent, Freeman and Gibson, who were on the lift, rushed through the hall, got what fire extinguishers they could find and got busy.

The elevator man in the meanwhile informed the office of the fire as quietly as possible to prevent a panic.

Though the fire department was called the flames were extinguished by the baseball players before the apparatus arrived.

The ball players were given a banquet by manager Avery of the hotel last night on account of the bravery displayed in fighting the flames.

Spontaneous combustion is supposed to have started the fire.

JAIL BREAKERS

THREE OF THEM HAVE BEEN CAPTURED.

BELLEFONTAINE, Pa., Aug. 3.—After four days' constant chase, Ira Green, William Dillon and George Henderson, three of the five prisoners who broke jail here last Friday night, after so badly injuring Turnkey Condo that he afterwards died, were captured at Flemington, near Lock Haven, and were brought here last night and placed in cells.

MEET IN TAUNTON

Firemen's Muster Will be Held There

BOSTON, Aug. 3—All roads in New England will lead to Taunton on Wednesday, Aug. 24, as on that day the New England States Veteran Firemen's League will hold its annual muster in that city.

The league held its regular meeting in Paine Memorial Hall yesterday, when the muster committee, who, after the failure of the plan to have the muster in Fall River, were instructed to provide a place for the muster, presented their report.

The committee reported that they had made every provision for holding the muster on the fair grounds in Taunton, and that the prize money had been deposited. The playing contest will be on the track, directly in front of the grand stand, and the committee expects that at least 50 old-time hand tubs will compete for the league championship trophy and the cash prizes. Special trains, at reduced rates, have been provided, while the managers of the electric roads centering in Taunton are arranging extra cars to provide for the multitude that is expected to be present.

The following letter from the mayor of Taunton was read by the secretary, and he was instructed to accept the invitation in behalf of the league:

The New England Veteran Firemen's Association:

It will afford me great pleasure to welcome your association to Taunton, which I claim to be New England's finest city, for your annual meet in August, and I can assure the boys a hearty welcome and the freedom of the city.

Come and make us prove it.

RICHARD E. WARNER, Mayor.

Judges for the playing contest were chosen as follows: Andrew J. Cummings of Portland, Me., president of the league, chairman; ex-Chief Abner Coleman Taunton; Assistant Chief J. A. Stevens of Springfield, Engineer Fred Bean of Manchester, N. H.; ex-Chief Charles H. Hooper of Peabody, William E. Mayhury of East Braintree, A. Everett Dunham of Central Falls, R. I., and Baxter Studley of Pawtucket, R. I.

The committee on arbitration was discharged, and the president was instructed to appoint a committee of three to confer with committees of the Rhode Island state, the Connecticut Valley and the New Hampshire state leagues in reference to adopting a uniform code for a board of arbitration, and to report at the January meeting of the league.

Delegate Erskine of Albion, R. I., caused a breeze of excitement at the opening of the meeting. He evidently thought it was to be a lot one, for he brought a bundle of handkerchiefs with him and gave two to each delegate, receiving the thanks of the league for his thoughtfulness.

PENSION APPLICATIONS

MUCH OF THE RED TAPE OF THE PENSION OFFICE ABOLISHED.

Lowell veterans of the civil war will be interested in the recent orders issued Washington, relating to the granting of Washington, relating to the granting of pensions under the ruling of March 14, 1904. The application for a pension is now made very simple, the usual red tape being done away with.

If a veteran who has served 90 days or more in the civil war and was honorably discharged, and who has passed the age of 62, will write to the commissioner of pensions, there will be supplied to him an application blank and the necessary instructions. The services of an attorney are not required, and the only expense incurred is the payment of the notary's fee.

If a veteran is now a pensioner, but is receiving less than the amount to which he would be entitled under the age limit, he should simply follow the same course. When he has filled out his new application, and his affidavit regarding his age is verified by the record of the war department the pension office places him on the new roll at whatever his age justifies, and the old pension becomes inoperative.

Veterans must understand, however, that they cannot draw two pensions. If they are now drawing $6 or $8 or $10 a month under the general law or under the act of June 27, 1890, and have reached an age which under the order entitles them to an increase, they can have it by making the necessary application, but they must relinquish the pension they have been drawing up to the time their names are placed on the new roll.

The effect of the order on those now having pensions will be to increase such pensions up to the age limit if the pension already allowed is below that amount. As the maximum rate of pension provided for under the act of June 27, 1890, is $12 per month, the order will benefit no person who is in receipt of a pension of $12 or more. It must be remembered that the pension office will make no change in its pension rolls unless an application is filed and the age of the claimant is satisfactorily established. Then a pensioner will be transferred with the least possible delay.

Veterans must exercise their own judgment in applying for pensions under the age limit. If they can benefit themselves by making new applications such applications will not prejudice the pension they are now receiving, and the government expects they will take advantage of this further slight recognition of their services.

ROBBED OF $337

BURGLARS ENTER RANDOLPH HOUSE AT NANTASKET.

BOSTON, Aug. 3.—Mrs. Hannah Kelley, proprietor of the Randolph house, Nantasket beach, was robbed of $337 in cash yesterday. She had the money hidden in a chamber. The thief scaled the veranda and forced a window.

A few nights ago Mrs. Hillman, proprietor of the Weymouth house at Surfside, was awakened by a strange man in her chamber. She screamed, and the intruder told her that if she would keep quiet he would leave. She did as he requested, and he immediately left without securing any valuables. The people around Nantasket beach think that the work is that of some of the professional crooks who are now infesting Boston.

LOWELL GIRL

RE-ELECTED SCHOOL TEACHER IN AYER.

Miss Caroline A. Downey has been re-elected to teach for the coming school year at the Sandy Pond School, Ayer, Mass.

CLERK ARRESTED

Accused of Stealing Money From Bank

GUILFORD IS SAID TO HAVE CONFESSED

He Wanted to Keep up Appearances

BOSTON, Aug. 3.—Curtis P. Guilford, 28 years old, of 540 Talbot avenue, Dorchester, who has been employed as a clerk in the receiving teller's department of the First National bank, was taken to the Tombs late yesterday afternoon and locked up on a charge of stealing $400 from the bank which employed him. It was said at police headquarters that Guilford confessed to his shortcomings when arrested, and that his excuse was that he needed the money with which to pay for good clothes and keep up appearances.

According to such information as could be gathered at police headquarters last night, Guilford, who is a married man, but has no children, has been living in rather better style than his salary warranted, and, in addition to wearing clothing of excellent quality and irreproachable make, had been regarded as a "free spender".

Some time in the spring it was noticed that there was a leakage somewhere in the bank, and persistent inquiry and search finally narrowed the leak to the department in which Guilford was employed. The money kept disappearing, and finally the bank officers were convinced that, much as they disliked to entertain the thought, Guilford was the man who was taking the cash.

Inspectors Houghton and Harris of the bank squad were called into the case, and yesterday a small sum of money, said to have been $15, was placed in a part of the bank where Guilford would naturally come across it, but under circumstances which would indicate that the money belonged to the bank.

When the clerks had finished work for the day and were about to leave for their homes, the money which had been placed where Guilford could find it, was looked for. It was missing. Then the inspectors, who had been awaiting the result of the test, stepped in and charged Guilford with the theft of the money placed yesterday to try him, and also with the larceny of various other sums in the past few months, amounting in all, as the bank officers have computed it, to $400.

It is said that Guilford admitted he had been taking money nearly ever since the beginning of this year, getting away with a few dollars at a time as occasion offered, and covering up his peculations as best he could.

After talking with the young man for a few minutes the inspectors placed him under arrest and took him to police headquarters where he was booked on a charge of the larceny of $400, and then he was taken to the Tombs and locked up.

Guilford is said to have been highly respected by his business associates, and was popular in the social circles in which he and his wife have moved.

Old Orchard is a beautiful resort for a day's outing. The round trip rate is $1.50 via the Boston & Maine railroad on August 11th.

PEOPLE EXCITED

Trouble Expected at Port Au Prince

PORT AU PRINCE, Hayti, Aug. 3.—The situation here is calmer today but the population is still excited and all the Syrian stores are closed, their proprietors not daring to open them owing to fear of the riotous soldiers and populace. The American minister, Mr. Powell, has advised all of those who have consulted with him to be calm, promising them efficacious protection shortly.

SNEAK THIEF

GOT AWAY WITH $1000 WORTH OF PROPERTY.

BOSTON, Aug. 3.—While Fred C. Raymer, second baseman of the Boston Nationals, was playing ball and while his wife was at the front door of their house at 1059 Tremont street watching fire engines go past the house yesterday, a sneak thief went through the back door into the house and stole from the Raymers watches, jewelry and other property to the value of nearly $1000.

The loss was not discovered until 9 o'clock last night and then the police were notified.

The theft was committed about 2 in the afternoon. Shortly after 2 a second alarm of fire was rung in from box 229 and several pieces of apparatus drove by the door of the house. With the intent of seeing how near the fire was Mrs. Raymer went to the door, one flight down, and after standing there a few minutes went into the suite down stairs to make a call.

She was away from her apartments about an hour. About 9 in the evening Mrs. Raymer missed her watch. In her search for it she missed several other things, and when a list of the missing articles was made up the Raymers found that they had been robbed of valuables worth a little over $900.

The police of the Roxbury Crossing station were notified and a watch of the pawnshops will be kept in case attempts are made to pawn the goods. The only way the thief could have entered the house was through the rear door, which was unlocked.

The rooms showed that they had been hurriedly ransacked. Drawers had been pulled out and things overturned and left in disorder.

You can visit Old Orchard and enjoy a day at the beach via the Boston & Maine railroad at a round trip rate of $1.50 on August 11th.

Don't have a heater put in your house until you have seen our line—the finest display of Boilers and Furnaces in Lowell.
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LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Samuel Bentley, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased:

Whereas Albert White, the administrator with the will annexed of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell, in said county, on the twentieth day of September, A. D., 1904, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of July, in the year one thousand nine hundred and four.

W. E. HOGEBS, Asst. Register.

MISCELLANEOUS

MRS. CLARA ADAMS, clairvoyant and card reader and ladies' employment office, 355 Gorham street, opposite Court house.

WHITE SEWING MACHINE CO., 376 Bridge street. Ladies your attention is called to see our silent ball-bearing, light-running, rotary machine. It excels all others. We repair all makes of sewing machines, give us a call.

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WE HAVE ALL the Fall Blocks of Hats and are prepared to supply the gentlemen of this city. Stiff hats cleaned free at Delorme's, 261 Middlesex st. The only Hat manufacturer in town.

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MONEY LOANED salaried people, easy weekly payments, no delay, we trust to your honor. Massachusetts Loan Co., 13 Merrimack Sq., 16 Prescott st., Room 9.

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LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Pair of rimless spectacles in case between Nichols street and Shaw Hosiery on Monday, Aug. 1. Finder please return to 12 Nichols street.

LOST—A black bill book with large sum of money on Salem st. Reward at 25 Bowers st.

LOST—A small purse at entrance to Crescent Park, Sunday. Finder rewarded at Sun Office.

LOST—A long, black lace scarf. Suitable reward. Address S. B. E., 98 Main st., Andover.

LOST—A gold bracelet marked letter G. Friday evening. Return to Sun Office and receive reward.

LOST—A lady's open face chatelaine watch between Crowley st. Railroad Bridge, Lawrence st. Reward at this office.

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In the Union Station
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SPECIAL NOTICES

DRESSMAKER will make a lady's suit for $3.00 as advertisement. 23 C St.

MRS. ANNA M. COGGESHALL has moved from 26 to 38 Nichols street.

TRADING STAMPS—All colors, we make a specialty of Tea and Coffee. we give 80 stamps with one pound of Baking Powder at 50c; 80 with one pound of our 60c Tea; 50 with our 50c Tea; 10 with our 25c Coffee; 20 with our 30c Coffee; 30 with our 35c Coffee. The Elwood Tea Co., Davis Square.

LADIES—A most satisfactory summer dessert is "Dainty Desserts." Makes delicious puddings by simply adding pure milk. Flavoring if desired. No baking—prepared in a moment's time. Send 10c for full size package, also our booklet entitled "Some Ideas for Desserts." Leopold Anderson Co., Campello, Mass.

PRACTICAL DRESSMAKER—Miss M. W. Taylor solicits your patronage. 17 Caddell Avenue, Crescent st., off Chelmsford st.

DAVID HUNTLEY wishes to announce to his friends and patrons that he has opened up a bakery store at 1950 Gorham st. with a fresh supply of pies, cake, bread and pastry every day, wedding cakes made to order.

THAT POUND OF COFFEE if bought at Dickson's will be fresh roasted, fresh ground or pulverized and the best coffee you ever had. Double stamps all this week. Dickson's Tea Store, 68 Merrimack st.

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THE SUN IN BOSTON—The Sun is on sale every day at both news-stands of the Union Station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

WANTED

WANTED—Roomers and mealers at 17 First st., Centralville, gentlemen preferred.

WANTED—A tenement of 5 or 6 rooms, good location, about $11 a month. Steady tenant. Address J. D., Sun Office.

TRADING STAMPS—We give 20c per 100 for Green, 12c for Blue. Count your stamps and send them by mail. We forward money order for same. L. E. Gibson, 508 Massachusetts Ave., Boston.

WANTED—Sewing to do at home. Mrs. J. S. Wilkinson, 88 First stret.

WANTED—Children to board in East Chelmsford, second house on right past city line. Take Boston car.

LYING IN HOSPITAL—This is the only place of its kind in this vicinity and is so equipped as to accommodate all classes. Mrs. Blanchard, 688 Pleasant street, Dracut Centre. Telephone 734-4.

WANTED—Children to board in country desirable home, terms reasonable. Address Box 163, Billerica Centre.

CASH PAID for second-hand furniture, also sold and exchanged. Bornstein & Quinn, 118-120 Gorham street.

QUINCY HOUSE, 53 Lee street—Boarders wanted; three square 20c meals for 30c a day, 7 days in the week. James McGregor, prop.

HELP WANTED

WANTED—A woman to care for 4 children. Inquire 34 Cady st.

WANTED—A first class warper tender on No. 29 yarn, good pay and steady work, also a few spooler tenders. Apply to F. L. Leavitt, overseer, Amesbury, Mass.

WANTED—A boy about 16 years old to work in a piano store; one who can play the piano preferred. Address in own handwriting, Piano Boy, Sun Office, Lowell, Mass.

WANTED—A competent Protestant girl in a small family. Apply at 426 Varnum Ave.

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WANTED—A young man between 16 and 21 years old to learn barber trade. Inquire Sun Office.

WANTED—A good experienced table girl. Inquire 39 Chelmsford st.

WANTED—By a young woman, a place as housekeeper in a small family and a child 7 years old. Address this office, Mrs. S. M.

WANTED—Representatives in Lowell and vicinity for the Equitable Banking Company. Steady work and good pay. W. D. Cobb, 26 Central st., Room 2.

WANTED—A girl in a Greek Coffee House. Call at 594 Market st.

WANTED—A kitchen girl, no washing to do. Apply 111 Westford st.

WANTED—Three or four good spinners wanted on D. & F. long mules that are willing to work steady for good pay, no other need apply. Family help preferred. Cochrane Mfg. Co., Dedham, Mass.

WANTED—Table girl at 213 Middlesex st.

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SITUATION WANTED—To do light housework or mind one or two children. No. 12 Hamilton Corp.

WANTED—Middle aged lady would like housework or minding children. A. W., Sun Office.

SITUATION WANTED—Doing general housework by a Norwegian young woman. Apply at 124 London street.

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WANTED—Light work around gentleman's place or as watchman by sober, honest man with references. Good home more than pay desired. Inquire at 28 Smith street, James Kelley.

WANTED—By an elderly woman, a situation to care for an invalid or to do light housework. Address Mrs. Lucy this office or call at 152 Appleton st.

NURSE—Thoroughly experienced nurse, capable of acting as midwife, confinement cases a specialty. Address 29 Chestnut square.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE OR TO LET—On Dix street near Gorham street ten minutes walk from post office all or any part of 22,000 ft. of land suitable to build houses on or for business purposes as it has a railroad frontage of 240 ft. Inquire of John P. Quinn, Dix street.

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FOR SALE—An up-to-date bakery, good store trade and fine route. For further particulars apply at 377 Hampshire st., Lawrence, Mass.

FOR SALE—Boot black stand, 6 chairs, plenty polish, cigars and tobacco, ladies' dressing, etc. Reason for sale sickness. For particulars address A., Sun Office.

FOR SALE—Singer sewing machines, three almost new machines, one tailor machine, very cheap as we retire from business. Apply today 103 Gorham st.

STOP, THINK—Men's Goodyear welt sample shoes for sale at cost prices, Stover & Bean, Hood Bldg.

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FOR SALE—Near centre of the city, a large fruit, tobacco and confectionery store, takes in from $100 to $125 a week, cheap for cash. Address, H. D., Sun Office.

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TO LET

TO LET—Four sunny rooms cor Floyd and Central streets.

TO LET—Cottage newly painted and papered, at Adams Ave., Pawtucketville. Rent $8, key at Mrs. Dennies, next door. W. A. Read, 228 Liberty st.

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TO RENT—2 upstair flats on Middlesex st. Nos. 1106 and 1107, one has bath, set tubs and range. See owner, 55 Harvard st.

TO LET—A good tenement at a low rent in Brown's Block, Marshal street. Key at No. 4.

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TO LET—Small tenement fronting on the street. Rent low. Inquire at 154 South street.

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VOLZ STOPPED THEM

Lowell Couldn't Touch His Delivery

But Before He Entered the Game They Were Winning—McLaughlin Makes a Batting Record—Dorgan Made a Sensational Catch

Manchester defeated Lowell yesterday afternoon at Spalding park in a rain storm, in a game that was scrappy throughout. Owing to the disagreeable weather there were only about 250 people present, but Manager Lake said he would play the game if there were but three people present.

At 3.15 o'clock Umpire Kerins called the game and as the men went to the bat Lake remarked that he never lost a game in a rain storm.

FIRST INNING.

Manchester went to the bat first and Page drew his base on balls. Armbuster hit to Connors who threw to second catching Page. Hickey in trying to make a double play threw over Lake's head and Papa throwing his mit in the air stopped the ball from going into the bleachers. Smith died out to McLaughlin and Warren closed the inning by hitting to Bushey. The latter knocked the ball down and Hickey fielded it to first in time to get Warren.

For Lowell, Tierney hit to Warren and died at first. Connors hit to Kane and was out at first. Dorgan singled to left field, and Hickey closed the inning by hitting to Warren and forcing Dorgan out at second.

Score—Lowell 0, Manchester 0.

SECOND INNING.

Neither side scored in the second inning. Chapman struck out. Taylor sent a line drive to McLaughlin and the little fellow by a phenomenal catch stopped the ball with his bare hand. Kane struck out.

In Lowell's half Lake hit to Warren and was out at first. Bigbie singled to left field. McLaughlin singled to short right and McGovern hit to Taylor, the latter throwing McLaughlin out at second; Knau then threw the ball to first base for a double play.

Score—Manchester 0, Lowell 0.

THIRD INNING.

Manchester went out in quick order in the third. Cote and Jordan struck out and Page flied out to Bigbie closing Manchester's half of the inning.

In Lowell's half Bushey hit to Jordan and was out at first. Tierney struck out. Connors drew his base on balls and Dorgan struck out.

Score—Lowell 0, Manchester 0.

FOURTH INNING.

Manchester jumped on Bushey with both feet in the fourth and sent in three runs. Armbuster was hit in the wrist with the ball and was sent to first. Smith bunted along the first base line and though Lake fielded the ball there was no one on first and the visiting player was safe. Warren advanced both men with a sacrifice. Chapman singled to right field scoring Armbuster. Chapman then stole second. Taylor hit to left field and Smith and Chapman scored. Knau got his base on balls. Cote flied out to Tierney and Jordan closed the inning by striking out.

Lowell scored one run during the latter part of the fourth. Hickey flied out to Armbuster, Lake singled to left field and stole second. Bigbie foul flied to Chapman, the latter making a pretty running catch. McLaughlin singled to left field scoring Lake and McGovern closed the inning by flying out to Smith in center field.

Score—Manchester 3, Lowell 1.

FIFTH INNING.

Bushey pulled out of a bad hole in the fifth. Page opened with a single to centre field and then stole second. Armbuster hit to Connors who threw wild to first and Page went to third and Armbuster went to second. Smith drew his base on balls. With the bases filled and no one out it looked as though the boys from the Queen city would score, but Warren flied out to McLaughlin and Chapman did the same trick, and Taylor was third out on strikes.

Lowell got a man as far as third in the fifth inning, but failed to score. Bushey flied out to Taylor and Tierney drew his base on balls and while trying to steal second was caught out by about a mile. Connors hit to left field and Dorgan singled to short center, Connors going to third. Hickey wound up the inning by flying out to Armbuster.

Score—Manchester 3, Lowell 1.

SIXTH INNING.

Knau opened the sixth inning by striking out. Cote flied out to McLaughlin. Jordan was the next man up and he hit a foul tip which struck McGovern on the finger which he injured last Saturday, and Dr. Fred Leahey was called and it was found that the member was broken. "Terry" will be out of the game for some time. Lake then went in to catch, Bigbie went to first, Tierney went to left and Cross went out to right field. Jordan finally struck out.

Lowell tied the score in the sixth inning through good stick work on the part of Barnie McLaughlin. Lake hit to left field and was safe at first. Bigbie flied out to Chapman. McLaughlin was the next man to step to the plate and he swung on a good ball and sent it over the left field fence bringing in two runs. Cross struck out and Bushey went out, Taylor to Chapman.

Score—Lowell 3, Manchester 3.

SEVENTH INNING.

Manchester failed to score in the seventh owing to a phenomenal catch by young Dorgan, which was the feature of the game. Page opened the inning with a single to centre field. Armbuster sent him to second on a pretty sacrifice. Smith then hit between deep right and centre field for what looked to be a sure two or three base hit, but Dorgan got after it and sprinted in a manner that would make Arthur Duffy look like three cents, and nabbed the ball. Warren flied out to Bigbie.

When Lowell went to bat it was found that Volz had been substituted for Page. Tierney was first up and he flied the ball out to Knau. Connors hit to Knau and was out at first, and Dorgan also hit to Knau and went out at first, losing the inning.

Score—Lowell 3, Manchester 3.

EIGHTH INNING.

In the eighth inning Chapman hit to Hickey and died at first. Taylor hit to left field for a single. Knau drew his base on balls. Cote struck out. Voltz hit to McLaughlin forcing Knau at second base.

Hickey opened the eighth for Lowell by hitting to Knau and going out at first. Lake struck out. Bigbie closed the inning by striking out.

Score—Lowell 3, Manchester 3.

NINTH INNING.

Page opened the ninth with a single to short left. Armbuster went out on a foul fly to Connors who made a pretty catch. Page stole second and Lake's bad throw sent him to third. Bushey gave Smith his base on balls and Smith kicked against going to first saying that Bushey did it deliberately. Warren bunted down the first base line and Bushey tagged him out while Page scored. Chapman hit one that hit against the left field fence and Tierney caught the ball but fell against the fence and dropped the ball and Smith scored. Taylor hit to Connors and was thrown out at first.

In the last half of the ninth McLaughlin opened with his fourth consecutive hit. Cross struck out. Bushey made a single to left sending McLaughlin to second base.

Tierney struck out.

Connors flied out to Taylor.

LOWELL.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Tierney rf lf	4	0	0	0	1	0	1
Connors 3b	4	0	1	1	1	2	1
Dorgan cf	4	0	2	2	1	0	0
Hickey 2b	4	0	0	0	2	2	1
Lake 1b c	4	2	2	2	4	0	1
Bigbie lf 1b	4	0	1	1	5	0	0
McLaughlin ss	4	1	4	7	5	1	0
McGovern c	2	0	0	0	7	1	0
Bushey p	4	0	1	1	1	2	0
Cross rf	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	3	11	14	27	8	4

MANCHESTER.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Page cf	4	1	3	3	0	0	0
Armbuster lf	3	1	0	0	2	0	0
Smith rf	3	2	1	1	1	0	0
Warren 3b	3	0	0	0	0	3	0
Chapman 1b	5	1	1	11	0	0	0
Taylor 2b	5	0	2	2	4	2	0
Knau ss	2	0	0	0	2	5	0
Cote c	4	0	0	0	7	1	0
Jordan p	3	0	0	0	0	1	0
Volz p	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	5	7	7	27	12	0

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Lowell	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0—3
Manchester	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	2—5

Earned runs—Lowell 3, Manchester 2. Home runs—McLaughlin. Sacrifice hits—Warren, Armbuster. Stolen bases—Chapman, Lake, Page 2, Armbuster. Double plays—Taylor, Knau and Chapman. Strike outs—By Bushey 9, by Jordan 3, by Volz 4. Bases on balls—By Bushey 5, by Jordan 2. Hit by pitched ball—Armbuster. Umpire—Kerins. Attendance—250. Time of game—2h. 10m.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

At Concord—Concord 8, Nashua 7. (first game). Batteries—Young and Higgins; Labelle and Merritt. Concord 3, Nashua 1. Rollins and Merritt. Attendance—500.

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Cleveland—Boston 4, Cleveland 1.
At Chicago—Chicago 5, Washington 1.
At Detroit—New York 2, Detroit 1.
At St. Louis—Philadelphia 9, St. Louis 3.

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

At New York—Chicago-New York game postponed—rain.
At Brooklyn—Brooklyn-Pittsburg game postponed—rain.

GAMES TODAY

NEW ENGLAND LEAGUE.

Lowell at Concord.
Fall River at Haverhill.
Nashua at Manchester. (two games.)
New Bedford at Lawrence.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Boston at Cleveland.
New York at Detroit.
Washington at Chicago.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

St. Louis at Boston.
Pittsburg at Brooklyn.
Cincinnati at New York.
Chicago at Philadelphia.

N. E. LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Haverhill	53	23	.697
Lowell	38	36	.513
Concord	39	37	.513
Nashua	39	39	.500
Fall River	38	40	.487
Manchester	37	40	.481
New Bedford	36	40	.474
Lawrence	35	50	.333

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Boston	53	33	.621
Chicago	56	35	.611
New York	51	34	.600
Cleveland	47	37	.560
Philadelphia	48	38	.558
St. Louis	34	47	.420
Detroit	34	51	.400
Washington	15	66	.214

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
New York	62	24	.721
Chicago	53	34	.609
Cincinnati	52	37	.584
Pittsburg	50	36	.581
St. Louis	48	40	.546
Boston	38	57	.367
Brooklyn	32	59	.352
Philadelphia	22	63	.250

DIAMOND NOTES.

Lowell at Concord today.

Poor Terry will be out of the game for some time. His finger is broken. The same finger that was injured in Saturday's game.

Only for the errors we would have won. But that's nothing new.

Young Dorgan bids fair to make a good outfielder.

The doubleheaders are now upon us. Doubleheader with Concord tomorrow.

CRICKET NOTES

The Mohair cricket team will meet the fast Everett team on the Chelmsford street grounds on Saturday afternoon in one of the most important games that has been pulled off so far this season. The race between the three leading teams, the Everetts, Mohairs and Buntings has caused considerable rivalry and a good game is assured. The Everetts lead with 18 points, the Mohairs 16 and the Buntings 14.

It is easy to see the importance of the Mohairs' winning from Everett in this match if they are to stand a good show for the championship. They are rather unfortunate at this critical stage of the contest to be short of some of their best bats. The teams chosen to do the work for the Mohairs is as follows, providing Mr. Hird's hand is sufficiently improved to warrant him using it in a game:

D. Hird, captain, H. Moseley, H. Allen, J. Thorpe, J. Priestly, I. Shaw, T. Haughton, J. Shuttleworth, J. Harrison, J. Harriman, J. J. Whittaker. Reserves, J. Cooper and C. White. Game at 2.30 promptly.

On Friday night there will be a general meeting of the Mohair club and it is earnestly hoped that all members and especially all players will make a specia effort to be there, as business of great interest to all will be brought before the meeting.

MRS. ARTHUR PAGET

IS NIECE OF MRS. RICHARDSON OF THIS CITY.

Mrs. Arthur Paget, who was seriously injured by falling down the elevator shaft of her residence in London, yesterday, is a niece of Mrs. George F. Richardson of this city.

A good time! August 11th excursion to Old Orchard beach via the Boston & Maine railroad. $1.50 round trip.

Death Penalty.

A little thing sometimes results in death. Thus a mere scratch, insignificant cuts or puny boils have paid the death penalty. It is wise to have Bucklen's Arnica Salve ever handy. It's the best Salve on earth and will prevent fatality, when Burns, Sores, Ulcers and Piles threaten. Only 25c, at F. C. Goodale's, 217 Central street.

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BASE BALL
TOMORROW
Concord vs. Lowell
Two Games—First game 2 o'clock.
SPALDING PARK.
ADMISSION.....25 CENTS

CONNORS' SCALP

Is in Danger According to Report

AN INTERESTING BASE BALL ITEM

Appeared in a Portland Paper Saturday

The following very interesting item appeared in Saturday's Portland Express:

Martin Mack, owner of the Lowell New England league baseball club, with Robert C. Paradis, official scorer of the same team, are in town today and will watch the work of the South Portlands with interest, particularly that of Third Baseman Lord, whom the Massachusetts men would like to have affix his signature to a contract with the Spindle City team.

Mr. Mack has seen the South Portland player before and so impressed was he with his clever covering of the third station that he at once instituted overtures in hopes that he might secure him for his team. The Lowell team could use a man like Lord first rate, for while Billy Connors is a very good man and covers lots of ground and covers it well, it is quite evident to Mr. Mack that Lord would strengthen the team greatly, both by his fast fielding and also in his stick work, he being especially good with the wagon tongue. Mr. Paradis is an expert on things pertaining to the national game, and can tell a ball player as far as he can see one. Mr. Mack will be guided by his opinion of the local man.

The above item will interest the local fans greatly as it is the first intimation that they have had that Connors is not giving perfect satisfaction.

He is certainly satisfying the public all over New England if he does not meet the requirements of our local expert. We are indebted to the Express for first knowledge of Mr. Paradis' expertness in selection as we had formerly credited them to Manager Lake. Barring an umpire from Billerica, not Mr. McMahon, whom Mr. Paradis discovered a few years ago we were not aware that the league was indebted to him for its success.

But to return to Connors. There isn't a harder working or more faithful player in the business than Connors. Manager Lake himself is on record as saying that Connors can handle a ground ball better than any infielder in the league, and Lake should be given credit with knowing a little about players. Connors position is second base and in that position there is none in the New England league who can touch him. He was put on third to make room for Hickey on second and though playing out of position he demonstrated the fact that he can hold down that bag with any of them. And now they're looking for a man from South Portland to take third base, and the assumption is that Connors is going on the bench. Such a move would be fatal to the Lowell club from a playing standpoint as well as in the box office.

The Sun would suggest that if a new third baseman must be secured, get a good one and then put Connors on second base and Hickey in right field. This suggestion is made not with any attempt to disparage Hickey for Mattie is all right, but in order to have them all in the game, and of the two Hickey would play the better outfield. Such an arrangement, provided the new third baseman did as well as Connors, would strengthen the team, but to place Billy on the bench would be a big mistake.

Don't forget the date, August 11th. $1.50 is the round trip rate to Old Orchard via the Boston & Maine railroad.

HELLO WON OUT

Bennington's Colt Takes Mohawk Stakes

SARATOGA, N. Y., Aug. 3—Newton Bennington's three-year-old Hello won the Mohawk, the stake feature of yesterday's racing at Saratoga, in impressive fashion. Passing under the wire Hello was two and a half lengths ahead of Champlain. Frank Farrell's Gonzalve-Lillian Belle colt, Champlain, made the running until the stretch was reached. At this point Hello came up under a hard ride by O'Neill and was never headed.

The track was fast, the crowd fair-sized, the field exceptionally large and two races, the first and third, were won by a head. The best race of the day, however, was the last, in which Mr. Keene's great colt Delhi, covered the mile in 1.37 3-5, making a track record and coming within 1-5 of a second of Dick Welles world's record. Grey Friar, in at bottom weight, closed in the stretch and was only half a length behind at the wire. Delhi is a candidate for the Great Republic, the richest stake of the meeting. Summaries:

FIRST—FIVE AND A HALF FURLONGS.

McChord, 114, (J. Martin), 2 to 5 1
Jack Lory, 114, (Odom), 40 to 1 2
Broadcloth, 110, (T. Burns), 40 to 1 3
Time—1.07 4-5.

SECOND—MILE AND A SIXTEENTH—ON TURF.

Ascetic, 91, (Crimmins), 10 to 1 1
Allan, 103, (Cormack), 5 to 1 2
Requitar, 110, (H. Phillips), 4 to 1 3
Time—1.49.

THIRD—FIVE AND A HALF FURLONGS.

Caimgorn, 112 (Lyne), 15 to 1 1
Sigilight, 112, (H. Phillips), 15 to 1 2
Prince Hamburg, 112, (Shaw), 1 to 2 3
Time—1.08.

FOURTH—THE MOHAWK—MILE AND A FURLONG.

Hello, 107, (O'Neill) 4 to 1 1
Champlain, 101, (Walsh), 15 to 1 2
Hobadil, 96, (Sperling), 3 to 10 3
Time—1.54 4-5.

FIFTH—SIX FURLONGS.

Orly, 107, (O'Neill), 6 to 5 1
Auramaster, 105, (Cormack) 8 to 1 2
Commonetta, 105, (T. Burns), 20 to 1 3
Time—1.14.

SIXTH—ONE MILE.

Delhi, 132, (Redfern), 11 to 10 1
Grey Friar, 98, (H. Phillips), 7 to 1 2
Fort Hunter, 107, (Wonderly), 60 to 1 3
Time—1.37 3-5.

DOVER RACES

MIDSUMMER MEET OPENED WELL YESTERDAY.

DOVER, N. H., Aug. 3—The mid-summer light harness meeting opened at the Granite State park yesterday with a large attendance.

Three favorites won their races, Kitty Giltner taking the 2.20 trot in straight heats, although she was hard pressed by Zambia, in each heat. There were only two horses in the 2.08 pacing event and Terrill S., finished in the lead in each of the three heats. The 2.15 pacing race went to Jim Kyle in straight heats. The summaries:

2.20 TROT—PURSE $500.

Kitty Giltner, bm, by Gazette (Brady)	1	1	1
Zambia, bm, (Tiller)	2	2	2
Jimmy Michael, bg (Nuckles)	5	3	4
Haron Patch, bg, (Timothy)	4	7	3
Mazetta, bm, (Crawford)	3	5	7
Princess Lesan, bm, (Richardson)	7	4	6
Cassie C., blk m, (Kinney)	6	6	5
Boranda J., bg, (McGrath)	8	8	dr

Time—2.16¼, 2.16¼, 2.18½.

2.15 PACE—PURSE $500.

Jim Kyle, bg, by Tip Top, (Nuckles)	1	1	1
Stephen P., br g, (Stanborough)	2	2	3
Arzilla, bm, (Hyde)	4	3	2
Bunker Hill, bg, (Timothy)	3	4	4

Time—2.13¼, 2.12½, 2.13.

2.08 PACE—PURSE $500.

Terrill S., ch g, by Strathmore, (Lozello)	1	1	1
Peeler Patron, bg, (Richardson)	2	2	2

Time—2.12½, 2.10¼, 2.11.

NASHUA MEET

AUGUST MEET OPENS WITH TWO EVENTS ON CARD.

NASHUA, N. H., Aug. 3—The August meeting of the New England Half Mile circuit opened here yesterday afternoon. There were two events, the 2.20 pace and the 2.40 trot. A free-for-all was booked but did not fill. In the 2.20 pace Little Miss was picked as the winner but she had hard work to take the opening heat. Al Dean then went in and took the race in three straight heats.

The 2.40 trot went off so slowly that the judges called the drivers to the stand and cautioned them. Hortens was favorite but had hard work to finish third in the first heat. Arthur, the driver, was replaced by Cunderlin. The race went to Flint after five heats. Summaries:

2.20 PACE—PURSE $300.

Al Dean, bs, by Alcanda (Devlin)	7	1	1	1
Little Miss, bm, (Sullivan)	1	2	3	2
Corona, ch m, (Marston)	8	9	2	3
Edith J., ch m, (Sunderlin)	2	6	4	4
Krindlewood, bm, (Lovell)	3	4	5	6
Forest Wilkes, bs, (Moody)	6	7	7	5
Warriment, bm, (Moynahan)	5	8	9	7
Tommy Allen, ch g, (Warren)	9	5	8	9
Joyful Maiden, bm, (Anderson)	4	3	6	dr

Time—2.19¼, 2.18¼, 2.16¼, 2.19¼.

2.40 TROT—PURSE $300.

Filene, br m, by Mildrult, (Nugent)	1	2	1	2
Idle Mac, bg, (Anderson)	5	1	5	1
Special, bm, (Young)	2	3	2	3
Hortens, br m, (Arthur and Sunderlin)	3	4	4	5
Great Medium, gs, (Warren)	4	5	3	4
Madina Wood, bm, (Anderson)	dis			

Time—2.33¼, 2.27½, 2.30½, 2.28¾, 2.30.

NASHUA RACES

TWO EVENTS ON THE CARD YESTERDAY.

NASHUA, N. H., Aug. 3—Despite the showers which followed each other in succession during yesterday afternoon, the August race meeting at the Nashua track was opened in a successful manner and two excellent races were run off.

The track was rather heavy from the rain, and the time somewhat slower than would have been the case with a more suitable track. There was a fair-sized crowd present, Boston, Worcester and other places being well represented.

The first event on the card was the 2.20 pace with nine starters. Aldeen was favorite, and after the first heat, which went to Little Miss, came to the front and captured the race, though Little Miss made the favorite go in each heat.

The 3.40 trot brought six starters to the wire, one falling by the wayside in the first heat, and the other five making a good race out of the remaining four heats.

The horses in this race were all practically unknown, and there was little choice for the talent. Silene having the better of it after the first heat, which he landed in slow time. Idle Mac, a local horse, took the second and fourth heats, but did not have speed enough for the fifth and deciding heat, which went to Silene.

STRUCK BY LIGHTNING

MR. WOODBURY'S HOUSE IN PELHAM DAMAGED.

The house of F. M. Woodbury in Pelham was struck by lightning and badly damaged during the heavy thunderstorm Tuesday morning. The house is almost directly opposite the car barn of the Southern New Hampshire Traction Co. The lightning went through the roof, dismantling a portion of the same and seaming the walls in all directions. The damage will be about $300.

WATER SHRINKING.

The great evaporation in the lakes and streams in this section of New England the last week or two says a Nashua correspondent, has caused an unprecedented shrinkage in the bodies of water available for manufacturing and domestic purposes. The upper Pennichuck ponds which supply the city water for Nashua, are being drained to furnish power at the pumping station, and it is thought that steam may soon be resorted to.

The Merrimack and Nashua rivers are both low. The Merrimack got very low last week, but the closing of the mills at Lowell over Sunday allowed the streams to recuperate in a measure, but more low water is expected. The waters have not been so low for several years as they are at present. The rains at this season of the year have little effect on the streams, as the ground absorbs the greater part of what falls.

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14,718 The sworn daily average circulation for seven months of 1904 was: **14,718**

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CHAPIN FOR STATE TREASURER.

The republicans this year are to have a contest for the office of treasurer. Among the leading candidates is Mayor Arthur B. Chapin of Holyoke. For six years he has been mayor of Holyoke and during that time he has accomplished many reforms and put the city upon a better financial footing than it held for many years previous. He is a strong candidate for the office of treasurer. He was first mentioned as a candidate for governor but it seems that he has decided to be satisfied with a subordinate office.

PLEHVE WAS GENERALLY DESPISED.

While the press of this country condemns assassination and condemns the anarchists for rejoicing over the assassination of Minister Plehve, not a single newspaper is heard to say a good word for the victim of the assassin's bomb. It seems that he made himself feared and dreaded wherever known. When such a man is stricken down it is not usual to hear any great lamentation for his fate but that does not mean an approval of assination or an endorsement of anarchy.

HIGHER TAX RATES REPORTED.

Generally throughout the state there has been an increase in the tax rate without any decrease in the valuation. This state of affairs will naturally cause criticism of the officials and opposition in the coming elections on the ground of economy, but still the upward tendency in the tax rate goes on. This is particularly objectionable in cities in which the value of real estate is at a low ebb. Lowell is in this class of cities and any increase in the tax rate already far too high will be regarded in the nature of a calamity.

FRANCE AND THE VATICAN.

Some people criticize Pope Pius X on account of his bluntness towards France. They say he is less diplomatic than was his predecessor, Pope Leo XIII. Perhaps he is, but even so, he is right in refusing to permit the French branch of the church to be ruled by politicians, such as Premier Combes. Any action on the part of His Holiness that will relieve the church of the incubus of political carping and domination, however undiplomatic it may be will be justified in view of the present subservient condition of the church in France. Better have the church free to pursue her mission even though she lose $8,000,000 a year in the withdrawal of the government allowance stipulated in the Concordat. The church will never be free from political domination until she is self-sustaining and wholly independent of government support.

The rupture between the church and the French government is said to be complete, but it will never be complete until the Concordat is abolished. The sooner that is accomplished the better will it be for the church.

HOW FIRES ARE STARTED BY ELECTRIC WIRES.

Electric wires constitute one of the most frequent causes of fires. There is no doubt that wires were responsible for the fire in E. L. White's mansion on Monday night. When wires close together become charged by the induction of a lightning storm, the return current from the trolley lines or any other cause, the current often flashes across the narrow space burning any inflammable substance in its path. In this way some of the most mysterious fires originate. It is all through defective electric construction. Some so-called electricians know so little about their business that they are likely to arrange the wires in the manner best calculated to start a fire. Thus the proprietor has not only to pay the electrician's bill but suffer loss from the fire started it may be through the electrician's stupidity. We do not refer to the White residence in particular nor do we deny that sometimes where the construction is perfect circumstances will combine to produce the spark necessary to start a fire.

It occasionally happens that after the wires are put in a lead or iron pipe or a steel ceiling will be brought into contact with them and this of course means the starting of a fire as soon as there is any electric disturbance.

HAGGARD'S MESSAGE FROM HIS DEAD DOG.

Rider Haggard, the novelist, has written a story about his dog which of course will give rise to a new cult, that might be designated the "Telephathy Between the Human Species and the Lower Animals."

Haggard's dog was killed in a railroad accident and before, on or after the accident the novelist had a nightmare in which he saw his dog dying and at the same time telling its master what had happened. Was it a coincidence? Was it canine telephathy or was it a direct spiritual communication from the departed canine?

These are the questions which now confront the society for psychical research, the same that after due investigation discovered that a ghost had length and breadth but no thickness.

It will soon be time to open a paradise for departed canines from which the owners still in the flesh can hold communication or mayhap call up the spirit of "Fido," "Diver," or "Primrose," or otherwise converse with the canines by telephathy, the alleged medium by which Rider Haggard was apprised of the fate of his dog.

A FARCICAL INDICTMENT.

It appears now that the officials of the Knickerbocker Steamship company are to go scot free. The federal grand jury has indicted Captain Shalck for manslaughter and the other officers for aiding and abetting. The officers of the company are held under the common law for aiding and abetting, a finding which in the opinion of competent lawyers can easily be set aside.

Thus the men who were pocketing the profits, whose unwillingness to incur any expense left the General Slocum unprovided with safety appliances are to be set free while their employe is to be the scapegoat.

The law under which Captain Shalck was indicted applies equally to the owners as the following section of the law clearly shows:--

Every captain, engineer, pilot, or other person employed on any steamboat or vessel, by whose misconduct, negligence or inattention to his duties on such vessel the life of any person is destroyed, and every owner, inspector, or other public officer, through whose fraud, connivance, misconduct or violation of law the life of any person is destroyed, shall be deemed guilty of manslaughter, and, upon conviction thereof before any circuit court of the United States, shall be sentenced to confinement at hard labor for a period of not more than ten years.

Why the federal grand jury should exempt the owners who are so specifically mentioned is difficult to see unless it be a scheme devised to set them free.

In case the owners of the General Slocum and the owners of the Iroquois theatre in Chicago go free, as is now quite likely to be the case, it will be in order for the representatives of the people to demand a change in the law, by which the owners of the property in which disasters occur shall be held mainly and directly responsible and so that the responsibility shall not be shifted upon the shoulders of some employe, who merely obeys the orders of his employer.

The people of this country are watching the outcome in both cases determined that if the law be not applied somebody will be blamed and that if the law be inadequate to hold the guilty parties, it will be quickly amended.

SEEN AND HEARD

A pocket roulette wheel built like an open face stem winding watch has appeared on the market. The dial is a reproduction of the surface of a roulette wheel. On a pivot in the center is a thin hand, steel colored. The mechanism is controlled by a spring which is wound by the stem, like a watch. Pressure on the stem releases the spring which sends the wheel spinning around the face of the dial with a motion so rapid that the hand becomes invisible. When the pressure is released the hand stops instantly.

A French woman who is a lover of books and is willing to spend money to see them preserved, offered a prize two years ago, for the best work on the insects that injure them and the best way of exterminating the pests.

The prize has just been awarded to C. V. Houlbert, whose essay, it is said, is the best that was ever written on the subject. He finds that there are sixty species of insects that injure books, the worst being the minute specimen called the anobium and its near allies. The so-called "death watch" belongs to this family. Fumigation is the means that he suggests as the best for exterminating them.

Here are the ages of Japanese generals:

Marquis Yamagata (Field Marshal) 66 years.
Marquis Oyama (Field Marshal), 62.
Count Nodzu, 63.
Count Katsura (Premier), 57.
Viscount Sakuma, 59.
Baron Kuroki (First Army), 60.
Baron Oku (Second Army), 58.
Baron Yumuguchi (Fifth Division), 53.
Baron Okazawa, (Emperor's Aide de Camp), 60.
Baron Nogi (at the front), 55.
Baron Hasegawa (Imperial Bodyguard), 54.
Baron Nishi (Second Division), 58.
Baron Kodama (Chief of Staff), 52.
Prince Fushimi (First Division), 46.

Rider Haggard, the novelist, has sent to the London press a story concerning his dog, which will occasion considerable comment on the part of those who are interested in such matters. He says that on the night of July 10 he suffered a painful nightmare, and while still half conscious dreamed his favorite retriever was dying, that he himself was close to it and that the dog was endeavoring to tell him the facts. The body of the retriever was found in the river three days afterward, and an investigation seems to prove that it was killed on July 10 by a train about three hours before the novelist's dream.

The only doubt as to facts appears to be as to the time of the accident by which the animal met his death. If the "dream" came before the death the incident is to be set down as a dream which turned out to be true, something that is not uncommon. If, however,—and Mr. Haggard believes that he has proof that this is the case—the dream came at the moment of death, it will be difficult to dispute those who assert that this was an instance of telepathy between a dog and a human being which is without precedent so far as we know. If, on the other hand, the "dream" came after the dog's death, there will be many who will insist that a spiritual part of the dog communicated with the mind of his master.

Those who are disposed to ridicule such occurrences as these are superficial. There are events of human life whose mystery defies present solution and that there are means of communication between those peculiarly attached to each other has been amply proven if little understood. Such instances as that cited by Mr. Haggard are certainly worthy of honest consideration.

DIVORCE DECREE

WOMAN FREED FROM MAN WITH WHOM SHE ELOPED.

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—News was received here yesterday from Syracuse that to Irene Bishop Ackerman, daughter of H. H. Long, a wealthy merchant, residing at No. 311 West Ninety-ninth street, had been granted a divorce from her husband, C. Fred Ackerman, who distinguished himself as a correspondent in China at the time of the Boxer uprisings.

Mrs. Ackerman is the most dashing of six sisters, who are all well known in society and characterized by their clever horsemanship. She married Mr. Ackerman clandestinely in Jersey City on May 9, 1903, after a brief courtship. It was not until three months later that the news of her marriage was broken to her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Ackerman lived together only three months after which divorce proceedings were instituted. Mrs. Ackerman is 21 years old and very beautiful.

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Corporation Formerly Did the Work Itself

The board of health at its regular meeting yesterday was notified by the Tremont & Suffolk mills to remove the rubbish from their tenement property in Tremont and Cabot streets.

It has been customary for years for the corporations to look after the sanitary conditions of their own property and if they all call upon the city to do the work it will mean a big additional expense to the department.

The master and journeymen plumbers' licenses recommended several weeks ago by the plumbing commissioners were granted.

Dr. W. D. Jackson, chairman, called to oder shortly after 4 o'clock and all three members of the board were present. After listening to the reading of the records by Agent Knapp it was voted to grant a license to a Mr. Smith to erect and maintain a stable for two horses in the rear of 93 Bellevue street, provided he installs proper sanitary arrangements and connects the stalls and drains directly with the sewer and will remove manure once a week.

Dr. Jackson then read the communication from the Tremont & Suffolk mills in regard to the removal by the city of rubbish, etc, from their tenement property.

In speaking on this matter Agent Knapp said it would not involve any great expense to remove rubbish from one corporation, but if other corporations asked for the same privileges they couldn't very well refuse them and that would necessitate an increase in the force of men. The matter was discussed at considerable length and it was finally voted to lay the matter on the table until the next meeting.

A petition for a license to build and maintain a stable for one horse in the rear of 34 Seventh street was laid over pending a view of the premises.

The board adjourned for two weeks.

THE MATHEWS

Will Participate in Big Temperance Parade

The regular meeting of the Mathew Temperance Institute was held last evening in its quarters in the Mansur block, and considerable business was transacted. President George L. Hunt was in the chair and two new members were admitted while three propositions were properly referred. The attendance of members at the meeting was quite large, many being drawn by the announcement that final action on the invitation from the Springfield Diocesan Total Abstinence union to participate in its annual field day in Clinton on Labor day was to be taken. The matter was discussed and finally it was deemed inadvisable to participate in the event in view of the big temperance parade to be held in Roxbury on Oct. 8th, in commemoration of the birthday of Fr. Mathew. This decision was reached, however, only after mature consideration in which much regret was expressed that it was impossible to accept the Clinton invitation. The officers of the Springfield union were particularly desirous of having the local society at the celebration and the unfavorable action of last night will undoubtedly cause much regret among many societies in Western Massachusetts, where the local society is well known.

It was formally voted by the society last night to participate in annual parade of the C. T. A. U. of the archdiocese to be held in Roxbury on the eighth of October, the union having previously voted at a special convention to hold the parade in that place. The Lowell Military band was chosen to head the Mathews on that day. A committee on arrangements for the local society was chosen as follows: President George L. Hunt, chairman; John J. Lyons, John A. McKenna, Wm. F. Boyle, Michael J. Nestor, Walter E. Flaherty, James J. Hancock, Frank B. Looney, Vice-Pres. John V. Donoghue, Bernard M. McNally, secretary.

The enthusiasm manifested by the local members in the forthcoming parade gives assurances that the Mathews will have no difficulty in upholding the honor they have for many years held as New England's greatest Catholic temperance body.

A communication was received last evening from Secretary Devine of the parade committee, giving much information of the proposed demonstration. While the parade will be held under the auspices of the Archdiocesan union, the bulk of the work devolves upon the St. Patrick's T. A. and L. society of that place of which Thomas F. Phelan, well known in Lowell, is president.

The invitation from the Y. M. C. L. to participate in the relay race to be held in conjunction with that organization's field day in the near future has been accepted by the society and the track team will now settle down to active training with a view to capturing first prize.

The singing club of the institute which has met with such tremendous success will soon resume its rehearsals after a vacation of several months. Mr. James A. Murphy, the well known musician, will continue to act as director for the club.

POLICE BOARD.

The regular meeting of the police board was held last evening and licenses were granted as follows:

Auctioneer—John J. Gray, 267 Central street.

Intelligence office—Harry P. Nichols, 90 Precott street.

Pool and billiards—E. S. Tabor, 129 Middle street; George H. Prempas, 412-416 Suffolk street.

Express wagons—John Brady, 155 Church street; George W. Thornington, 5 Arthur street.

Common victualler—Anna Ducharme, 691 Middlesex street; Mary B. Marston, 289 Dutton street; Mary Keyes, 27-28 Robeson street.

Hawker and peddler—Henry Lewis, Westford, Mass.; Peter Henley, 426 Varnum avenue.

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DOMESTIC TRADE

OPERATION OF THE PRESENT YEAR COMPARED WITH THE PAST.

The end of the first half of the current year affords opportunity for comparing commercial operations in domestic trade with those of 1903. Reports made to the Department of Commerce and Labor through its Bureau of Statistics by commercial organizations in various parts of the country furnish data of value in gauging volume of business in representative sections and centers of the country. The end of the half year shows that to June 30 receipts at twelve primary grain markets were considerably below those of last season. The total receipts of grain during June were six million bushels below those of June, 1903, when 49,504,166 bushels were reported, compared with 43,682,671 bushels this June. For six months this year receipts were 268,463,781 bushels and 283,346,361 bushels last year, showing a shortage of about 5 per cent. The markets which have thus far in the year increased their receipts over those of the first half of 1903 are Cincinnati, Kansas City, Louisville and Minneapolis.

Chicago and the four great markets on the Missouri closed the first half of the year with 19,655,895 head of live stock received since January 1. Last year's corresponding total was 15,122,661 head, against 14,958,471 head in 1902. Of this year's total 7,923,347 head were credited to Chicago, comprising 48 per cent; Kansas City received 2,507,459 head, or 15 per cent; Omaha, 2,517,516 head, or 15 per cent; St. Louis, 2,134,884 head, or 13 per cent. and St. Joseph, 1,512,589 head, or 9 per cent.

Top prices of cattle, hogs, and sheep at Chicago averaged as follows for six months: For cattle weighing 1200 to 1350 pounds, $5.74 per hundred; last year's average was $5.58 for the corresponding twenty-six weeks, and that of 1902 was $7.35. The abrupt lowering of prices from 1902 to 1903, amounting to 24 per cent, was discouraging to producers, though the price thus far in the current year has been 16 cents better than in 1903. Prices of hogs for the first half of the past three years were $5.26 in 1904, $5.04 in 1903, and $7 in 1902. Prices of western sheep varied from $5.12 per hundred in 1904 to $5.06 in 1903 and $5.59 in 1902. In 1902 3,005,767 sheep were received at the five markets in the six months, while this year's arrivals amounted to 4,053,016 head, or an increase of one-third over that of 1902.

The season's business on the Great Lakes with few exceptions failed to reach the volume of the preceding year. For six months just past 6,654,212 tons of freight were received, compared with 13,-074,608 tons in 1903, and 18,135,375 tons in 1902, indicating that the current season's operations to date were a little more than one-third as large as in either of the two preceding years. A noteworthy exception in lake business is the quantity of grain and flaxseed moved. Receipts for the month of June, 1904, were 15,625,497 bushels, compared with 14,987,670 bushels last year and 10,218,115 bushels in 1902. The vessel movement for six months included 15,861 arrivals, of 12,625,545 tons. A year ago the total was 25,315,438 tons.

At the North Atlantic seaboard receipts of grain at five leading ports of export, including flour and meal reduced to bushels, for six months were 81,258,879 bushels, compared with 133,021,905 bushels in the first half of 1903. A comparison of receipts and shipments at the different ports shows that the past year has been one of a much larger proportionate local consumption. Boston for example, received 12,621,261 bushels of grain and shipped 6,660,611 bushels, of 52 per cent. of the receipts. Last year 69 per cent. of receipts were shipped on a much larger total of receipts. At Philadelphia shipments were 62 per cent. of receipts this year and 73 per cent. last year. At Baltimore the current year's shipments were 70 per cent of receipts in contrast with 77 per cent. in 1903.

Vessel movements on the Atlantic seaboard, including both coastwise and foreign, do not seem to have had a degree of activity equal to that of 1903. During the last half year 12,419 vessels arrived at the three ports of Boston, New York, and Philadelphia, compared with 13,828 vessels a year ago.

Coastwise shipments of coal from New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Norfolk and Newport News during the month of June fell somewhat short of the corresponding tonnage for May. The general total was 2,006,809 tons, of which 1,834,087 tons were bituminous and 1,272,722 tons were anthracite. For the six months ending with June, 16,-403,254 tons are carried, of which 8,769,456 tons were bituminous and 7,-638,799 tons anthracite. During the six months ending June, 2,506,368 tons of coal were received at Boston, chiefly from coastwise sources, compared with 3,056,972 tons in the preceding year. Of the former total 1,055,771 tons were anthracite and 1,450,597 tons bituminous.

The cotton movement in southern territory during ten months of the crop year ending with June 30 failed to reach the ten million bale mark. The total available supply, including sight receipts and stock left over from last year, was 9,996,125 bales. Last year the receipts to the corresponding date were 10,739,877 bales, or three-fourths of a million bales in advance. Domestic spinners, north and south, have not quite equaled last year's requirements in their takings, and exports have fallen about 700,000 bales behind those of last year.

Gulf ports have shared with other seaboard markets in the decrease in receipts of grain. At New Orleans 8,067,959 bushels were received in six months this year, and 21,330,829 bushels in 1903. Various explanations have been offered for this change, among which are the relatively larger domestic demand in the east for consumption, increase in the quantity of winter wheat shipped from south of the Missouri to Northwestern milling account, and the active demand for feeding purposes in the Central West.

Receipts of grain at San Francisco, including flour reduced to bushels, in six months, were 8,385,306 bushels, in contrast with 9,622,839 bushels in 1903.

On the Pacific coast 2,338,704 barrels of flour were shipped from Portland, Seattle, and Tacoma for oriental destinations only in twelve months ending June 30, compared with 1,730,-606 barrels last year.

A heavy coasting trade in lumber has been carried on from north coast sources of supply. Arrivals of redwood, pine, and fir at California points in June were 104,565,643 feet, and the total for the six months was 537,602,-371 feet. This total is the result of a progressive increase since 1901, when the first six months' shipments amounted to 311,530,987 feet. During 35 weeks to June 30, southern California shipped 25,519 cars of citrus fruit, compared with 19,302 cars in 1903 and 15,-316 cars in 1902. Deciduous fruit shipments were much less than a year ago, 605 cars having been sent east up to July 5, 1904, compared with 981 cars last year.

CIGAR STORE

NOT PROPER PLACE TO WED THIS COUPLE THOUGHT.

NEW YORK, Aug. 2—A man and woman who said they wanted to get married went hunting for a magistrate in Jersey City yesterday and found Justice of the Peace Frank P. Lehane talking politics in a Montgomery street cigar store. The man, who described himself as Edwin Moore, 25 years old, of 130 West Ninetieth street, New York, whispered in the justice's ear, and Lehane replied:

"Certainly, we can perform the ceremony right here. Join hands.

The young woman, who said she was Miss Ella May Quimby of Asbury Park, objected. "I can't get married in such a place as this," she said. "Let's go somewhere else."

"Very well," said Lehane. "I have a friend around the corner. We'll borrow his office. He's Horace H. Farrier, a financier and real estate man."

"That will be fine," murmured Miss Quimby as the party started for 1 Cooper place. Mr. Farrier placed his office at their disposal and acted as a witness. The other witness was William O'Neill, a bartender, who was called in from an adjacent saloon.

"I don't blame the girl for not wanting to get married in a cigar store," said Bill Waddell the cigar clerk. "The last man Lehane married here got six years for bigamy."

CORTELYOU'S CHOICE

REPUBLICAN CHAIRMAN NAMES HIS COMMITTEES.

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—Chairman George B. Cortelyou of the republican national committee, yesterday selected the men who are to serve on the executive committee during the coming campaign. The committee is divided equally between Chicago and New York, four members being allotted to each headquarters.

The following are the members of the executive committee as announced by Mr. Cortelyou last night:

Eastern headquarters, New York—Charles F. Brooker of Connecticut, N. B. Scott of West Virginia, Franklin Murphy of New Jersey, William L. Ward of New York.

Western headquarters, Chicago—Harry S. New of Indiana, Frank O. Lowden of Illinois, R. R. Schneider of Nebraska, David W. Mulvane of Kansas.

Director of speakers' bureau, Western headquarters—James A. Tawney of Minnesota.

The chairman, secretary, treasurer and sergeant-at-arms of the national committee are also the officers of the executive committee.

CUT HIS THROAT

Man Attempted Suicide on Electric Car

LYNN, Aug. 3.—With his throat cut from ear to ear and windpipe severed Henry Kleine of St. Louis was found riding in an electric car yesterday afternoon. He was unconscious and it is believed cannot recover from the wounds.

Recovering his senses Kleine said he had cut his throat with a razor, and that he committed the deed near Marblehead and had ridden on the electric car to the Swampscott monument before discovered. He threw the weapon away along the road.

Kleine is 24 years old, and says he arrived at Boston Sunday, coming from Albany on a freight train. His parents are dead and being despondent he decided to commit suicide, selecting an electric car as the place.

The car, which left Marblehead at 2 was crowded, and on the seat with Kleine sat three women and a man, with Kleine on the outside, and nothing wrong was noticed until Kleine partly fell and acted strangely. Then it was noticed that blood showed on his throat. To one of the passengers he said he had attempted to commit suicide.

Conductor R. W. Hersey and motorman A. T. Blaisdell went to the man's assistance and the car was hurriedly run to the Swampscott postoffice. Here Kleine was placed on the sidewalk and later taken to the office of Dr. Hunt, where a number of stitches were taken in the wound.

No arteries had been severed or else the doctors say, the man would have surely died, as they thought he had been at least an hour bleeding. Kleine was taken to the Lynn hospital. He says he spent all his money and has no recollection how he got to Marblehead or where he committeed the deed.

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PACKER'S CLAIMS

Not Borne Out by Conditions at Stock Yards

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—The meat packers, whose union employes are on strike, claimed to be in a better position last night than at any time since the struggle began. When asked for the packers' side of the situation last night, Mr. Meeker, general manager for Armour & Co., said:

"The strike may be said to be near an end. At the rate we are securing new employes, it will be only a matter of a short time until everything will be in normal condition with us once more. When the butcher workmen repudiated their agreement and renewed the strike, after signing an agreement to submit all grievances to arbitration, we made a special effort to win the fight, and we have been a great deal more successful than the most sanguine of the employers had hoped for. The old employes' places have been filled so promptly that very few of the strikers will ever be able to get back to their old places, and those who do will come back as individuals."

This assertion was made by Mr. Meeker after the packers had brought in during the day, according to their estimates, 1300 new men, and another official of Armour & Co. had said that the packing firms were doing nearly 80 per cent. of their usual business. Police reports of the number of new employes arriving at the yards bear out in a large measure the packers' statements.

Despite these declarations of the packers' reports, the pens at the stock yards are filled with cattle and hogs that buyers make no bid for in the market. According to commission men and officials of the union stock yards and transit company, out of the live stock received Monday and yesterday over 19,000 sheep and 10,000 hogs were reshipped and unsold stock is rapidly accumulating in the pens. Twelve thousand hogs remained unsold last night and the prospect of large receipts today is causing the live stock handlers to fear a swamping of their facilities. According to commission men there are thousands of hold-overs in all departments of the yards, and the cattle in the pens will not all be out of the way by Saturday night. In the face of all this, shippers are constantly forwarding stock to Chicago and the indications last night were that there will be a decided slump in prices of live stock.

It is on this statement and what further information their own men have been able to secure, that the strike leaders base their claims that the packers are still badly crippled, notwithstanding statements to the contrary. A considerable number of strike breakers who arrived in Chicago yesterday were dissuaded from going to work by pickets.

In a statement given out by the packers last night, it is asserted that out of the 25,526 union men who went on strike, 8056 have returned to work. These desertions from the unions added to the new employes secured since the strike began, it is declared, makes the total number of men now at work 15,848.

On published statements that the union leaders intended protesting to the city health department that the housing of employes on the packing plants was a violation of the city ordinance, an inspector from the sanitary bureau investigated all the plants yesterday, but nothing was found that would warrant the department taking any steps against the packers.

Two new commissary stores, making four altogether, were opened by the strikers yesterday. Crowds surrounded both places, securing an apportionment of food.

In view of erroneous statements leading to a belief that the live stock handlers' union ordered its members to return to work in the stock yards in violation of orders from the officers of the Meat Cutters' and Butchers' union, the Live Stock Handlers' union has adopted a resolution advising the public "That our return to work was due to explicit instructions from President Donnelly and his associates; and that should the officers of the Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butcher Workmen of North America deem it wise to again order us to participate in the strike, we hold ourselves in readiness to respond to the call."

The packers yesterday appealed for police protection for their distributing plants, the union pickets having turned back all the retail butchers, with wagons after supplies of meat. Police were despatched to prevent further interference with the retailers.

The first eviction resulting from the stock yards' strike was made yesterday. A crowd of strike sympathizers stoned two constables who put Mrs. Mary Anderson out of her home in Forty-fourth street for non-payment of rent. Mrs. Anderson's husband, a striker, had left Chicago in search of work. The wife was ill in bed when she and her household goods were carried out by constables. Mrs. Anderson was cared for by neighbors. Before the arrival of the police the crowd had wrecked the cottage from which the woman had been evicted.

BENJAMIN F. BUTLER

NEPHEW OF THE LATE GENERAL IS DEAD.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Benjamin Franklin Butler, a theatrical writer, died yesterday of brain fever at Rivercrest sanitarium, Astoria, after a short illness.

Mr. Butler was the grandnephew of General B. F. Butler, whose namesake he was. His father, the late George Butler, was for nine years United States consul at Cairo, Egypt, where Frank Butler, as he was generally known, was born. His mother is Rose Eytinge, an actress. A few months ago Mr. Butler married Miss Alice Johnston, also an actress. She was with him when he died.

IN BALL DRESS

WOMAN MADE TRIP ACROSS THE SEA.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—A young woman, who made the trip from Antwerp on the steamer Kroonland in a ball dress and without baggage, is now held on board that vessel awaiting permission of the immigration authorities to land.

She gave her name as Mrs. Constance Phelan and her last address as Cheltenham, Eng. The ship's officers know nothing about her except that she came aboard at Antwerp followed by two men, each bearing a case of mineral water.

She declared that she was going to the hot springs of North Carolina, but had only $4 in money. She said she did not know exactly why she came to America, as she had heard the baths were better in South Africa and she would have preferred to go there.

Her father, she said, was James Hunter, a prominent chemist of Aberdeen, Scot., and her mother was an American whose maiden name was Laura Prince. She showed a letter from Ikin and Chowther, solicitors of Lincoln's Inn Fields, London. The letter declared that the woman had an annuity of £3000 and that her debts would be cared for.

Get ready for the excursion on August 11th to Old Orchard via the Boston & Maine railroad. The round trip rate is $1.50.

WOMAN RESCUED

MRS. FLANAGAN TAKEN FROM BURNING HOUSE.

BOSTON, Aug. 3.—Patrolmen Angell and Varney of division 10, distinguished themselves at a fire that started in the kitchen of Mary Flanagan's home, 1584 Tremont street, Roxbury, yesterday afternoon, by rescuing Mrs. Flanagan at considerable risk to themselves.

The blaze was discovered shortly after 3.30 by one of the occupants of the house. Mrs. Flanagan's appartments are on the upper floor, and when the flames were seen, the other people in the house became greatly excited, and Mrs. Flanagan, who is about 75 years old, was forgotten in the rush for safety.

An alarm was given from box 229, followed within five minutes by another from the same box. Both officers hastened to the fire, and, learning that Mrs. Flanagan was in the house, dashed upstairs to her assistance. They fought their way to the kitchen through the heavy smoke. They brought her out to the street, where she soon recovered, and was afterwards cared for by friends.

The fire was confined to the apartment in which it originated, and the second alarm was needless. The loss was about $300.

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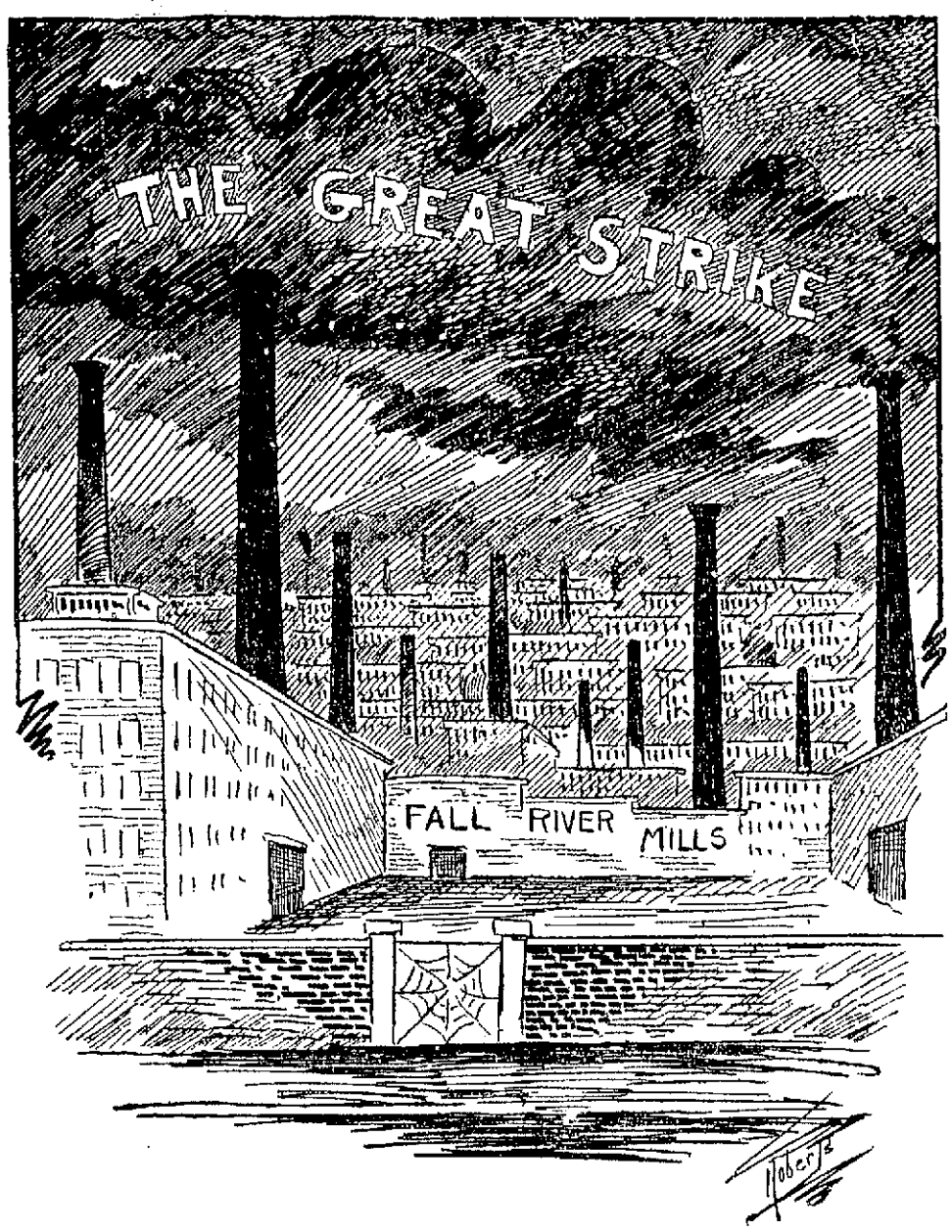

THE DESERTED VILLAGE

(With Apologies to Goldsmith.)

Sweet, smiling village, loveliest of the lawn,
Thy sports are fled and all thy charms withdrawn
Amidst thy bowers the tyrant's hand is seen
And desolation saddens all thy green.
One only master grasps thy whole domain;
No sign of tillage marks thy gloomy plain,
Along thy desert walks, once gay with life,
Is naught but painful evidence of strife;
Lost are thy joys; in sunken ruin all;
The long grass soon will top thy mouldering wall,
And trembling, shrinking from the tyrant's hand,
Far, far away, thy children leave the land.

WAS FOUND DYING

Alleged Gambler Killed For Gain

NEW BRITAIN, Conn., Aug. 3.—Charles Bosworth, who was found battered and unconscious in his room in Ward's block on Main street at noon yesterday, died in the New Britain hospital about 4 o'clock without uttering a word upon which the police may work to clear up his death. He was known here as a policy man and gambler, and it is said he also ran places in Springfield, Mass., and Danbury, Conn.

Bosworth was heard moaning in his room and the police broke in the door. They found him lying on the floor unconscious in a pool of blood. He had been struck on the back of the head with a blunt instrument. The skull was shockingly fractured. He was not a strong man, was lame and carried at all times a heavy cane. This cane was missing when his body was found yesterday afternoon, and it is possible that he was the victim of blows from his own stick.

Robbery was the motive. He was known to carry $2000. Not a cent was left. The pockets were turned inside out and his diamond ring and gold watch were gone.

Ample evidence was found in the room to show that Bosworth carried on a policy-plying business. He had rented three rooms in Ward's block on July 1. He was here before, but the police did not know of his resuming business until after the tragedy of today.

Bosworth was 53 years old. He has an invalid wife living at 50 Hungerford street, Hartford. He also had two brothers, Edward, living in Amherst, and L. H., in Providence.

The police believe that it was some person associated with Bosworth that committed the crime. The only clue is furnished by George Gibson of Maple street, who says he saw a man leaving Bosworth's place about noon. He says the man was much agitated and describes him as 45 years old, with gray hair and mustache. In the morning Bosworth told a boy who was measuring the window for curtains not to let anybody in without a key, and he kept the spring fastened on the door.

The Old Orchard excursion via the Boston & Maine railroad is on August 11th. The round trip rate is $1.50.

HARD ON CHILDREN

INFANT MORTALITY GREATLY INCREASED BY DOG DAYS.

More than 60 per cent. of the deaths in this city within the last eight days have been among the infants. The week of July 25 showed in the city clerk's report 62 deaths and of these 31 were infants. During the four last days the per cent. has been largely increased.

$1.50 round trip excursion to Old Orchard via Boston & Maine railroad, August 11th.

GAMBLING RAID

WOULD-BE HERO LED WAY FOR THE POLICE.

NEW YORK, Aug 3.—Detectives raised a ladder to a second-story window of an alleged poolroom in Washington street, when F. H. Pothen of Holyoke, Mass., thinking a fire was in progress, hurried up the ladder and jumped through the window to save life.

The detectives followed and found Pothen standing among the trapped gamblers. He was arrested but upon explaining that he did not intend to give the alarm in the poolroom, was discharged.

The police found 50 men in the place, some of whom were playing klondike, some shaking dice and others waiting for the returns from the races. All were lined up and their names were taken. Six were arrested and the others were permitted to go.

Matthew Stripp, the alleged proprietor, was arrested on warrants charging him with maintaining a gambling house and a poolroom. His brother, Thomas Stripp, was charged with aiding him. Bart Donovan, John Malley, John H. Mulhall and Thomas Clark were the others taken.

Matthew Stripp was standing in front of the building when the police came up. He ran into Washington market, where he was arrested. Thomas Stripp was charged with maintaining a gambling house in Church street a few months ago. He pleaded guilty and paid a fine of $25.

On the ground floor of the building Peter Hale conducts a saloon and restaurant. Capt. Burns had men stationed in front of the saloon, believing that a gambling house was being conducted on the second floor. Two weeks ago Mr. Hale obtained an injunction against Capt. Burns from Justice Gaynor, restraining the captain from keeping pickets in front of his saloon by alleging that it damaged his business.

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President May Come to Boston

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3—Atty. Gen. Moody yesterday escorted to the White House Lieut. Gov. Guild, Gen Blackmar, Col. E. H. Haskell and Col. Eli W. Hall to ask the President to attend the G. A. R. encampment at Boston, Aug. 15 to 20, and review the great parade on Aug. 16. The president received his visitors very cordially and told of the great delight it would give him to be present at the parade, but he said he could not definitely say at this time whether he would be able to accept the invitation, as he had many engagements from now until Aug. 20, when he returns to Oyster Bay. If it is possible for him to change any of these engagements, he would be glad to and would go to Boston, but it was not certain he could do so.

Although the president did not positively say that he could not go to Boston, the impression prevails here that he will decide not to go. Some of his advisers are opposed to his going to Boston, because if he reviews the G. A. R. parade he will be expected to review other parades, and if he should decline to do so he would be accused of showing favoritism. This might injure him at this critical time in his career.

Furthermore, if he goes to Boston to review the G. A. R., he may be accused of doing it for political effect, which might also do him damage. In view of all these considerations, it is a strong probability that the president will decline the invitation.

JEWELRY TAKEN

ROOMS OF NEWPORT COTTAGE WERE RANSACKED.

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 3—A bold robbery was committed some time last evening at the summer residence of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Van Horne of Boston on Greenough place. The thief gathered up numerous pieces of small jewelry and got away without being discovered or even heard. The police have not yet been able to obtain a single clew.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Horne were entertaining at dinner while the burglar worked and did not go to their rooms till late in the evening. Then they found that their drawers had been ransacked and the several jewel cases cleaned out. Fortunately Mrs. Van Horne wore her most valuable pieces of jewelry at dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Horne, who have lived here two years, are occupying the Parter villa in Greenough place, which last summer was the seat of the British embassy. It is inclosed by trees of thick foliage.

The articles stolen were one diamond scarf pin, one lady's ring set with diamonds and pearls, one scarf pin set with four pearls, one gold double snake scarf pin set with diamonds and rubies on the head of the snake, one gun metal watch, one lady's gold and blue enamel watch.

AGAINST DIVORCE

Strong Words at Catholic Federation Convention

SERMON BY REV. FR. O'BRIEN OF TOLEDO

Big Gathering Assembled at Detroit, Mich.

DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 3.—Plans for amendments to the constitution which, if adopted, might result in an entire reorganization of the American federation of Catholic societies will be presented by Peter Wallrath of Evansville, Ind., editor of Das Sternenbanner and state president for Indiana of the German Catholic union.

Mr. Wallrath's plan, which he presents at the request of his state, would make the active members of the federation connected directly with the main body.

Members are divided into "active" and "passive" members, the latter being those who are connected with the federation through one of the affiliated societies.

Active members are those who sign the federation membership roll directly and pay the annual fee of 50 cents. The plan aims to solve what has been a great problem with the leaders of the federation, parish organization.

The convention was opened yesterday when the Knights of St. John, with their band, formed to lead the procession of clerical and lay delegates to St. Mary's German Catholic church.

In the sanctuary Archbishop Elder sat in canopied throne, and Archbishop Messmer beside him. Opposite was the throne of Bishop Foley, canopied in purple.

Present in the sanctuary were Bishop Maes of Covington, Bishop Hartley of Columbus, Bishop McFaul of Trenton and Bishop Stang of Fall River, Mass., with Mgrs. Lavelle and Teeling, domestic prelates of the pope.

At the consecration an extraordinary scene took place. While all others knelt with bowed heads in the nave, and in the sanctuary the heads of the priests were bowed, the Knights of St. John stood, donned their helmets, drew their swords and held them forward as ancient knights swearing fealty. The transept of the church glittered with bared blades. The scene was impressive, and thrilling as it was strange.

The sermon of Fr. O'Brien of Toledo, O., whose address was expected to define the purpose of the federation and its convention, was delivered in a clear, rich voice and in an earnest manner.

"Render, therefore, unto Caesar the things that are Caesar's," he chose for his text, "and unto God the things that are God's."

Among other things, Fr. O'Brien said:

"In this scientific and material age people have almost forgotten the end for which they were created. This is an age of material progress, but as people progress materially they retrograde spiritually. Material progress cannot save a nation; religion alone can do it."

He then discussed the conflict between the authority of the church and that of the state, saying, "The church cannot sanction unjust or bad laws. It cannot sanction the law of divorce because it is against the law of God. The state has no right to enact the law of divorce. I say it as a citizen loyal to the government.

"The church cannot sanction the present public school system of the country because it eliminates religion from its teachings. I know that this is an unpopular stand, but we must make it because we are right and the state is wrong.

"Our non-Catholic brethren know us not. They look upon us with prejudiced eyes and imagined there is something in the teaching of the church that weakens our loyalty to the government. I defy any man to impugn the loyalty of Catholics.

"Though the number of Catholics in this country is 12,000,000 we have less influence than some of the weaker sects. Why have Catholics so little influence despite the fact that we number 2,000,000 voters? It is because of our cowardice in expressing our opinions. We are afraid to open our mouths in defence of the church and her doctrines, because we are on the unpopular side.

"You will never get anything by keeping silent. You must speak out and advance your ideas; you must fight—but not, thank God, with deadly weapons. The object of your convention is a high and noble one.

"You must lay down a fighting program for the future and carry it out."

At the afternoon session Secretary Anthony Matre of Cincinnati read his report. It showed a gain during the past year of one state federation and two national Catholic societies.

The American federation now comprises a total of 10 national organizations in its membership and has 11 state federations and 300 county federations. The total membership of the organizations which are affiliated with the federation is 1,500,000 in 39 states and Porto Rico, and 75 of the bishops of the country have given their approval to the federation. Secretary Matre read the following cablegram from Pope Pius X:

"Pius has received the filial greetings of the American federation of Catholic societies and joyfully sends his apostolic blessing."

Secretary Matre also read letters from Cardinal Gibbons, Archbishop Ryan of Philadelphia, Archbishop Christie of Portland, Ore., Archbishop Farley of New York and a number of bishops from all parts of the country.

After the reading of reports, Bishop Stang of Fall River, Mass., addressed the delegates, and Mgr. Teeling of Lynn, Mass., urged the delegates to take some action looking toward the proper observance of the Sabbath.

John Grass, a Sioux Indian, also made an address in his native tongue, which was interpreted by Chief High Eagle.

Last night a mass meeting was held at which Bishop McFaul of Trenton, N. J., Nicholas Gonner of Dubuque, Ia., and Thomas B. Minahan of New York city, national president of the federation, made addresses on the aims of the federation.

LEG BROKEN

WOMAN TOOK SLIDE DOWN "CHILKOOT PASS."

NEW HAVEN, Aug. 3.—Mrs. John Farry of New York city, while sliding down "Chilkoot Pass" at Savin Rock yesterday, broke a leg between the knee and the ankle. "Chilkoot Pass" is a polished board slide 75 feet long, full of bumps, at the bottom of which there is a big mattress. It is one of the attractions at the "White City," which is the Coney Island of Connecticut.

Mrs. Farry took the slide on a dare. She is a large woman and she wore a silk dress. She went down like a shot and landed on the mattress with a scream of pain. Her foot caught in a fold of the hair mat and her leg was broken half way between the ankle and the knee.

ASKED MONEY

DERANGED MAN CAUSED SENSATION AT LENOX.

PITTSFIELD, Aug. 3.—Lenox was much alarmed yesterday over the appearance of a deranged man at the country residence of the British ambassador, Sir Mortimer Durand. About noon a wild-eyed, unlidy stranger presented himself at the embassy and asked for money. He made a harangue when refused, and said he admired the assassin of Minister Von Plehve, and that some day he would throw a bomb himself.

He was dissuaded from entering the embassy and after a time went away, to reappear later at the residence of Miss Adele Kneeland of New York, where he again demanded money.

A contractor who was on the ground attempted to detain the fellow, but he ran and got away. The police were notified and searched the town for the man, who had made good his escape.

BILLERICA

About thirty fishermen from the village went fishing down in Boston harbor yesterday on the Steamer King Philip, but the fishes evidently had an off day for they refused to do much biting and very few of the followers of Isaak Walton brought home any fish that they had caught themselves. It is understood though that the markets in Atlantic avenue did a pretty good business after the steamer reached the wharf at night. The largest catch was made by Joseph Durfee, who landed a cod weighing 8½ pounds.

Roland Conway of this town, an employe of the Boston Elevated railway, is on a two weeks' vacation, which he will spend at the different beaches along the New England coast.

Misses Mabel and Jennie Morris and Lillian Buckley are at Revere beach.

Mrs. Chas. S. Maxwell, Mrs. John Wozencroft and Mrs. L. W. Buckley and family are spending the week at Revere.

Miss Helen Hennessy, Louise and Teresa Dean of Salem street will be the guests of Harold Hennessy at Kennebunkport, Me., for the remainder of the summer.

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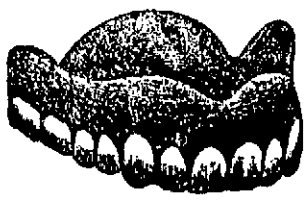

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5.43	8.50	6.00	7.04
6.22	7.40	6.30	7.26
a6.39	7.30	7.34	8.52
a6.45	7.53	8.25	9.01
67.01	8.02	e9.00	9.37
a7.24	8.10	9.20	9.57
a7.31	8.50	e10.00	10.37
7.48	8.33	e10.17	11.34
a7.52	10.05	e11.30	12.07
8.50	9.46	12.00	12.55
9.22	10.20	e1.00	1.37
11.00	12.03	1.15	1.52
ea11.43	12.23	2.00	3.01
612.14	1.00	e3.00	3.27
1.40	2.50	3.30	4.05
ea1.58	2.33	a3.47	5.00
ea3.47	4.30	4.14	5.30
ea4.02	4.45	e5.00	5.37
4.25	5.30	5.28	6.24
ea5.22	6.15	a5.47	6.54
a5.44	7.00	6.14	7.30
e6.12	6.55	e7.30	8.08
e6.29	8.10	e8.30	9.08
8.42	9.36	10.30	11.34
		11.20	12.21

SUNDAY TRAINS

Lve.	Arr.	Lve.	Arr.
a6.39	7.30	9.00	10.00
a7.24	8.10	a10.00	10.37
8.45	9.46	e11.30	12.07
a9.20	10.15	1.00	1.37
e3.25	4.30	5.00	5.30
a5.26	6.30	e7.30	8.08
e6.12	6.55	e8.30	9.08
e7.29	8.10	9.00	10.02

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
6.50	7.58	7.30	8.31
8.00	8.34	9.25	10.31
9.25	10.37	10.45	11.40
10.50	12.00	11.50	1.05
12.05	1.27	2.15	3.20
12.45	1.55	3.35	4.50
2.30	3.34	4.50	6.49
3.10	4.05	6.04	7.05
3.55	5.00	6.35	7.47
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Lve.	Arr.	Lve.	Arr.
8.15	9.26	8.00	9.13
12.10	1.24	12.00	1.00
3.55	4.52	5.40	6.25
5.30	6.54	8.40	9.40
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NOTICE.

H. Harmon sold his grocery and provision store at 129 Howard street to J. Smith.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

J. P. Maxfield Circle, No. 9, Ladies of the G. A. R., held a well attended meeting last night. Regular business was transacted. It was voted not to hold another meeting until the first Tuesday in September, owing to National encampment.

A few of the members held an outing a few days ago, and paid a visit to Sister Millie Fraser, at Willow Dale, and in behalf of all the members presented her a Ladies of the G. A. R. pin.

A Good Templar lodge is to be instituted Thursday evening, Aug. 11, in Andover, by Grand Councilor Albert Sutcliffe of this city, assisted, it is expected, by other grand officers. Members of Rescue lodge of North Andover, the two Haverhill lodges, and Good Hope and Ballardvale lodges are invited to attend.

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ON THE ALLEYS

Rochambeau Council Defeated Recreations

Rochambeau council defeated the Recreations in a game in the Lakeview tournament on the alleys at Lakeview last night by a score of 1161 to 1141, winning all five points. Lebrun of the victorious team was high man with a three string total of 293 while the best single was made by Payette of the same team, it being 84. While the scores were rather low the game was interesting throughout.

The French team won the first string by the narrow margin of two pins, the second by seven pins and the third by eight pins. By taking all five points in last night's game the French team moves up a peg, going from fourth to third place.

The score:

ROCHAMBEAU. R. A.

Lebrun	80	82	81	243
Ouellette	73	80	80	233
Fortier	82	72	80	234
Caisse	72	72	69	213
Payette	77	77	84	238
Total	384	383	394	1161

RECREATIONS.

Sympson	81	74	83	238
Gammond	73	73	76	227
Marden	80	77	71	228
McGrail	73	80	79	232
Rigby	70	72	77	219
Total	382	376	386	1141

TOURNAMENT STANDING.

	Pts. Won	Pts. Lost	P. C.
Bigelows	5	0	1.000
Fairmounts	5	2	.500
Rochambeau	7	3	.700
Brownies	3	2	.600
Recreations	2	13	.133
Princetons	0	5	.000

KRAMER BEATEN

By the Little Connecticut Blacksmith

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 3.—World's Fair grounds.—The first races of the four days of cycling events of the grand circuit meet and national amateur championship of the National Cycling association constituting part of the Olympic games were held in the Stadium yesterday. The feature was the defeat of F. L. Kramer of East Orange, N. J., by W. S. Fenn of Waterbury, Conn., in the one-third mile grand circuit championship.

Final summaries:

One mile novice, W. L. Snyder, St. Louis, first; Frank Bisoull, St. Louis, second; Henry C. Whitman, Lincoln, Neb., third. Time—2.45 4-5.

One-third mile grand circuit championship. W. S. Fenn, Waterbury, Conn., first; Frank L. Kramer, East Orange, N. J., second; Menus Bedell, Lynbrook, N. Y., third. Time—43 2-5 seconds.

One-half mile amateur national championship—M. L. Harley, New York Athletic club, amateur champion of America, first; Teddy Billington, Vailsburg, N. J., second; Burton Downing, San Jose, California, third. Time—1.08 2-5.

One mile handicap amateur, W. L. Snyder, St. Louis, 70 yards, first; Henry W. Wittman, Lincoln, Neb., 70 yards, second; Teddy Billington, Vailsburg, N. J., scratch, third. Time—1.02 4-5.

One mile handicap professional, Floyd Krebs, Newark, N. J., 50 yards, first; F. J. Cadwell, Hartford, Conn., 40 yards, second; John Bedell, Lynbrook, N. Y., 20 yards, third. Time—2.17 4-5.

One mile consolation, professional, L. B. Bowler, Chicago, first; George H. Collett, Salt Lake City, Utah, second; Joseph Fogler, Brooklyn, N. Y., third. Time—2.13 3-5.

August 11th is the date of the excursion to Old Orchard via the Boston & Maine railroad. The round trip rate is $1.50.

CONSTANT WATCH

Is Kept on Von Plehve's Assassin

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 3.—The assassin of Minister of the Interior Von Plehve is said to have made a partial confession in which he declared that at one time he was a school teacher in a rural district and was greatly interested in the Zemstvo, for the curtailment of whose powers he blamed the dead minister. He still absolutely refuses to disclose his name. A watch is kept on him day and night not only in order to prevent his doing himself bodily harm, but in the belief that he may betray himself in his sleep. Thus far, however, he has only muttered two words in his sleep, endearing diminutives of Peter and Natalie, probably the names of a comrade and sweetheart. The police have discovered that a third accomplice was concerned in the murder plot, and that he was stationed on a quay on the Neva where one of the imperial yachts was moored on the chance that the minister might go to Peterhof that day by boat.

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PERSONALS

Miss Elizabeth McElreath of Amsterdam, N. Y., is the guest of Miss Nettie Morse of Pawtucketville for two weeks.

Mr. E. B. Lowe, of the Putnam & Son company, is spending the month of August at West Farmington, Me., with his two little grandchildren, Betsy and Dorothy.

Mr. Walter W. Coppen of Columbus avenue has just returned from Wolfeboro, N. H., where Mrs. Coppen and son are spending the summer months at Lake Winnipesaukee.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clifton and little daughter, Margaret, are spending a two weeks' vacation at Ocean Park, Me.

Mr. Oliver Freeman of Newburyport is spending the next two weeks with Mr and Mrs. Freeman of this city, his relatives.

Mr. William G. McKay, associate secretary of the local Young Men's Christian association, has been renewing acquaintances in Nashua, his former home.

Miss Lizzie Butler of Beech street, a teacher at the Varnum grammar school, is stopping at the Churchill cottage, Fortune Rock, Biddeford, Me.

Mrs. Arthur Burtt of Washington, D. C., formerly of this city, is summering at Biddeford, Me. She will be joined the 13th of the month by her husband Mr. Arthur Burtt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burtt of this city.

Mr. Frank Foster of Boston visited in Lowell during the early part of the week.

Miss Elsie Whitney of 138 Perham street, Roxbury, Mass., who has been visiting friends in this city, has gone to South Framingham with Mr. and Mrs. William H. Greenleaf.

Rev. Wm. A. Bartlett, a former pastor of the Kirk Street church, is to fill the pulpit of that church for the next two weeks.

Mrs. K. E. Gardner will join her daughters at Northfield, Vt., for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett George of Nashua have been spending a few days with relatives in this city.

Miss Daisy S. Bent of Westford is in Nashua, visiting her aunt, Mrs. C. T. Lund.

Miss Maybelle Wilson has gone on an extended trip throughout the West. She will visit the St. Louis fair and also Southern California.

Miss Agnes Boyle is at Newport for the remainder of the summer.

Miss Clatia Brunelle is at Atlantic City.

Miss Margaret Conroy is enjoying the ocean breezes at Cape Ann.

Miss Susie James is sojourning at the White Mountains.

Miss Nora Murphy is stopping at the Beverly cottage, Salisbury beach.

Miss Kittie Usher has gone to Old Orchard for six weeks.

Rev. and Mrs. T. Clayton Welles have gone to Jackson, Michigan, and will visit Chicago and the exposition at St. Louis before returning.

Miss Anna Hennessy is spending her vacation among the Berkshire hills.

Miss Mae Ford has gone on a visit to her native place, County Kerry. Her shopmates presented her with a diamond ring.

Mr. George Miller, formerly of Tewksbury, has arrived in Butte, Montana, where he may decide to settle.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Greenleaf and son, Harold, of 1 Putman place, have removed to 38 Alexander street, South Framingham, Mass.

Miss Lumina Boulanger and Mrs. M. L. Traversy will tour the Provinces together during the next three weeks.

Charles Churchill of Beacon street, a Lowell Textile student, is spending the month at Fortune Rock, Biddeford, Me.

Mrs. C. H. O'Donnell, Miss Marie J. O'Donnell and Master Chas. H. O'Donnell are visiting at Ithaca, N. Y.

Mr. William Barnes of Lowell has been visiting friends in Nashua.

Mr. F. E. Bascom, general yard master of the B. & M. railroad, and Mrs. Bascom will spend the month of August in Nicholville, N. Y.

Miss Lillian Ingalls and Miss Pearl Edwards are at Marblehead, enjoying thoroughly a three weeks' vacation.

Mr. Patrick J. Keady, formerly a moterman in the employ of the Boston & Northern, left yesterday for Queenstown, Ireland, and he intends to make a long visit among his relatives.

Mrs. H. W. Folsom of 77 Mt. Vernon street has gone to Albany Springs for a three weeks' stay.

Mrs. J. S. Marion and her two sons, Harold and Carl, are spending the month of August in Waterville, Me.

Harold Marion of Twelfth street is at the farm of his uncle, Fred Gerald, of Clinton, Me.

Mrs. Hattie Fletcher is an Onset Bay dering the month of August.

Mr. J. E. Burbank has gone to the Seamore house, Old Orchard, for a week.

Miss Nora Cusack of Crowley st. is visiting relatives in Keene, N. H.

Victor H. Melster, who has returned fro his fourth annual camp at Spectacle lake, reports an unusually successful season.

Rev. and Mrs. A. R. Dilts and family have gone to Wayland, Mass. They will spend the summer, after a stay at that place, at Center Harbor, Lake Winnipesaukee, and other places nearby.

Messrs. A. E. Kidder and Charles Adams have gone to camp Rest-a-While, Bow Lake, Strafford, N. H.

Mr. W. G. McKay has started upon a month's vacation. He will spend August at Brockville, Canada, his old home, after visiting Montreal.

Mr. A. B. Martin, treasurer and manager of the Hartiman Suspender company, has gone abroad.

Messrs. Brooks E. Pray, Clarence Pray and James Pray, sons of George A. Pray, of Haverstraw, N. Y., are visiting their aunt, Mrs. A. C. Jordan, at 201 Appleton street.

Mr. Paul Meister of Stoughton, Mass., is visiting his uncle, Victor H. Meister of this city.

Mr. Lawrence A. Jordan of New York, is visiting at the home of his sister in Appleton street.

Mr. Percy Patterson is visiting friends in Easton.

Miss Jessie Allen and Miss Isabelle Chambers have gone on a week's visit to friends in Maynard.

Messrs. Wallace Butterfield, John A. Collins, Charles Preston, Arthur N. Bandlett and Asa W. Flint are camping up the Merrimack, just below Nashua. Mr. Bandlett is having quite a success as chef.

Mr. Frank L. Dupee has gone to Forge pond, Forge Village, where he has a camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace W. Clement of Centralville are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Roe of Liberty, Me.

The following people, booked at Leeds' Cunard agency, sailed on the steamer Ivernia yesterday for Liverpool: Mrs. E. Anna Bridgeford, Mr. Benjamin Hoyle; Mr. Richard Chadwick, Mr. Alexander Chadwick and on the Fabri line steamer Germania from New York, Thursday, for Naples; Costas Caractacos, Apostolos Cosmopolos, Costa Gackis, Stavros Athenoslon.

Mr. Asa Warren Meade has gone to the exposition at St. Louis.

Mrs. C. W. Rosander and Mabel, Clara and Marion Rosander of Powell street have gone to Hebron, Me., to spend a few weeks' vacation with relatives.

Mrs. E. F. Saunders of 24 Mt. Washington street left Lowell today for Cottage City for a vacation of several weeks.

Miss Nina Dexter of Coleraine, Me., is the guest of Miss Grace Pickles of Centralville.

Miss Etta Page has gone on a short visit to relatives in Lawrence.

Mr. John Bulger, of Gilbride's store, is at Salisbury beach.

Mr. Lawrence Buckley and daughter Lillian, have gone on a visit to Portland, Me.

Mr. William H. Cuzner, manager of the local branch of the Ginter Grocery Co., has gone to Nova Scotia for his health.

Mr. John McArdle wil spend two weeks at Hull.

Mr. Cherry, of the New York Cloak and Suit company has returned from a three weeks' trip to Ontario, where he spent his vacation among relatives.

Miss Alice F. Brooks of Nicollet street has gone upon an extended visit with relatives in the West.

Miss Bessie Pickles has been spending a few days with friends in Chelsea, Mass.

Mr. Harry Donehue is on his vacation at the Weirs, N. H.

Master Andrew Livingston of Pawtucketville, is visiting Lieut. Alexander Greig at Fort Monroe, N. Y.

Mrs. E. O. Tabor has returned from a visit to New York city.

Mrs. James Nacey and family are at Salisbury beach.

Patrick Harrahan has returned from a visit to friends in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Daigle have gone upon a trip to Canada.

Ex-Councilman Andrew Livingston and family have returned from New York city where they have been visiting relatives.

Miss Alice Bean of Pawtucketville is the guest of Miss Alice Wright of Worcester.

Miss Lulu Northrup and Alice Phelps, of the Central telephone exchange, are on their vacations.

Miss Alice Adie, of Chapel street, is spending her vacation at the beaches around Boston.

Miss Helen O'Sullivan is at Revere for a few weeks.

Lieut. Hugh Downey, of the police force, leaves today for Prince Edward Island, for a two weeks' rest.

Master Cornelius O'Neill of Lawrence street, is spending his vacation with friends in Lawrence and Haverhill.

Miss Elizabeth O'Connor of Wamesit street, is at Providence, R. I., for a vacation.

Mrs. Maurice Kearney and daughter, Miss Mary, and the Misses Susie and Annie Higgins leave tomorrow for a few days at Salisbury beach.

The Belvidre camp at Salisbury beach has been opened for the remainder of the summer season.

Mr. and Mrs. John Burns of Merrill street, have gone to Revere beach for two weeks.

Mrs. Welch, wife of Councilman Patrick Welch, and children are at Long-Sought-For pond for a few days.

Miss Nellie Maloney, of the Merrimack Clothing company, is at Revere beach for two weeks.

The vacationers from the A. G. Pollard & Co. store are: Miss Annie Traversey, at Lynn; Miss Margaret Reading, Salisbury; Miss Bertha Brown, New York city; Miss Louise Snowman, Bar Harbor, and Miss Mamie Boulger and Miss Heath.

Miss Clara Whitworth of this city and Miss Geo. E. Fregon of Corry, Pa., are visiting at Niagara Falls and Canada after spending a pleasant time at Lake Chautauqua.

Mr. Thomas F. Welch, of Hose 7, is spending his vacation at Gloucester, Marblehead and New Bedford.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Mower and family of Gibson street, have gone to visit relatives in Stowe, Vt.

Mrs. F. L. Roberts will sing at the Old Home Week celebration in Wilmington today.

Mr. Charles V. Barker, Mr. and Mrs. Merton N. Glidden and Mr. Harry Hopkins are all at the St. Louis fair.

Miss Gertrude Mullin of Moore street has gone to Bellows Falls for her vacation.

By J. E. CONANT & CO. AUCTIONEERS
Office: Lowell, Mass.

TOMORROW AFTERNOON AT 2.30 O'CLOCK

The Frederic A. Morey Estate, Residence and Store Property, right in the heart of the village of *Billerica Centre.*

BETWEEN THE HANDSOME BRICK TOWN HALL AND THE STATELY COLONIAL CHURCH OF THE FIRST UNITARIAN SOCIETY, FACING THE COMMON AND WITH THE BENNETT PUBLIC LIBRARY JUST TO THE NORTH.

The executors of the will of the late Frederic A. Morey feel that it is incumbent upon them, at this time, to advertise and pledge to the highest bidders at absolute auction sale, the village property, the household furniture, the "Holden Wood Lot," the "Wilmington Wood Lot," the family carriage, top grocery wagon, business pung, lot of pine plank and some other personal property; all to be sold on Thursday, the 4th day of August, 1904, at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon, on the premises at the Centre, regardless of weather conditions.

The property in the village comprises a large two and one-half story building. One-half o fthis building was used by Mr. Morey as his residence, and is finished off into eight nice, pleasant rooms, a large bath room, a large pantry and large shed. It is heated by a hot water plant and lighted by electricity, and it makes a fine home. The ground floor of the other half of the building is finished off into a good sized store, with large and excellent cellar; all heated by the same hot water plant and lighted by electricity. This store was occupied by Mr. Morey and in it he conducted a very successful general store business for twenty-eight years. Upon his death, in October, 1902, the stock was closed out, and since then the store has been closed, with the exception of the grain department, which has been kept going. Over the store is a splendid home, consisting of six good rooms, a bath room, pantry and store room. In the rear of the residence and store building, and not connected with it, is a stable for four horses, with wagon and carriage house and granary room; lighted by electricity. On each side of the stable, and attached thereto, are storage sheds.

With the buildings are about 35,250 square feet of land, with 98 feet frontage on Concord road. The land is perfectly level. On th eresidence side is a fine lawn. On the store side is concrete paving. The stable and sheds are separated from the grounds by a high lattice fence. There is an abundance and a great variety of fruit trees and vines, and in the centre of the lot, just in rear of the buildings, is a magnificent elm tree; while in front of the lot, on the common, are a number of large and beautiful trees and the common itself is a beautiful spot.

Billerica Centre is one of the show villages of Massachusetts. It has its own town water, is electrically lighted and a sewer system is now in contemplation. The Lexington & Boston electric cars (trunk line) between Lowell and Boston, pass these premises every thirty minutes. The Lowell & Boston electric cars (trunk line) between Lowell and Boston, pass the other side of the common, and a line of the Boston & Northern Street Railway leaves the opposite end of the common for Wilmington, Reading, Wakefield and Boston, also Lynn and Salem.

The property is in fine condition and a desirable one; splendidly situated for a village residence, is certainly a first-class location for a general store, and is now perfectly arranged as both.

Immediately following the sale of the homestead, and at the homestead will be sold the "Holden Wood Lot," on the Colburn Road, about opposite the farm of Geo. F. Colburn, in the easterly part of the town. This lot contains some fourteen acres and is covered with a sprout growth of hard wood. It is a high and dry lot.

Following this will be sold the "Wilmington Wood Lot," so-called, situated in Wilmington, near the boundary line between that town and Billerica. It contains about 30 acres of sprout land of ten years' growth of mixed wood, mostly hard. It is reached by a right of way from the main road between Billerica and Wilmington, and is near to the old Middlesex Canal aqueduct and to the farm of Isaac Hopkinson.

Immediately following the sale of the wood lots, and at the homestead, will be sold 5000 feet of 2-inch and 3-inch pine plank, at the Livingston Saw Mill, just east of, and about five minutes' walk from the village, and then the household furniture, comprising the furnishings of the entire eight rooms of the residence.

The purchaser of the homestead must deposit with or secure to the Auctioneers $500, just as soon as the property is struck off, and the purchaser of the wood lot must do the same with $50. The purchasers of the personal property must pay cash. The premises will be open for inspection after 10 A. M. on the day of sale, or at any reasonable time before upon application at the premises. All inquiries should be made at the office of the Auctioneers.

NATHAN H. REED,
THOMAS J. MOREY,
Executors of the will of Frederic A. Morey.

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Saturday, August 6, at 2.30 o'clock

Administratrix' sale of the John O'Neil estate, cottage house and about 1400 square feet of land at the corner of Coburn and L streets, Centralville. By virtue of a license granted to me by the probate court, I will sell at the premises, regardless of any condition of the weather, this cottage house and about 1400 square feet of land. The cottage is a neat little house of six rooms, parlor, dining room, kitchen and three chambers. It has good sewerage, water service and water closet in cellar. It is a place worthy of being a neat and comfortable little home, and to its purchaser it will certainly be so.

The lot contains about 1400 square feet, and being on the corner has frontages on both streets, about 35 feet on L street and about 40 feet on Coburn street; there is good yard room, and it is all fenced in. It is finely situated in a neighborhood of such small homes. And I will make absolute sale of it to the highest bidder on that day.

Terms: $150 to be paid or secured with the auctioneer at time and place of sale.

BRIDGET O'NEIL,
Administratrix of Estate of John O'Neil.
JOHN J. and WM. A. HOGAN, Attys.

Saturday, August 6, at 3.30 o'clock

Absolute sale by public auction, two tenement house and about 2650 square feet of land at Nos. 979 and 981 Central street. Promptly at 3.30 o'clock in the afternoon of August 6th, I will offer to the public by auction sale, this neat two tenement house of eleven rooms, six upstairs and five downstairs. It is in first-class repair, has been recently painted, and is at present occupied by two very fine tenants, one of whom has been an occupant for about 14 years. The present rental received is about $240 a year, and it is always rented. It has separate front and rear entrances and is a good, substantial piece of realty. The lot has a frontage on Central street of about 35 feet and runs in depth about 83 feet. It is all fenced in, is concreted around house and there is plenty of good yard room in rear. The location is a very good one, it being set between Cedar and Gorham streets on Central street, which is a road of the best smooth paving. It is quite handy to the city proper, and in a very respectable neighborhood.

Now the best kind of property to invest in is of the two-tenement type, and here is your chance to make such an investment, for it is up for sale to the highest bidder.

Terms: $300 must be paid to the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off; two-thirds of the selling price can remain on mortgage.

C. F. KEYES in Charge.

A Money Saver

Prices Knifed in
Children's Clothing

We are simply determined to close out every Spring and Summer Child's Suit. How determined we are the following prices will show:

Children's Two-Piece Suits and Sailor Suits, all wool, Scotch mixtures and plaid cassimeres; some are worth $3, some are worth $4, some are worth $5. The entire lot to close at $1.50

Children's Two-Piece, Double Breasted Suits, all wool, worth $1.50 and $2, knifed to $1.00

Men's $1.00 and $1.50 Summer Outing Shirts Knifed to 59c

We are certainly determined that you shall help us to close out our stock by buying our Outing Shirts, if prices are any inducement.

FOR 59 CENTS we give you your choice of all our men's imported fancy madras and cheviots, dark and light patterns, sephyrs, white madras, plaited fronts, fancy fronts with white bodies, one pair separate cuffs or cuffs attached, short and long bosoms, some slightly soiled from handling. Not a Shirt in the lot has been sold for less than $1 and $1.50.

WE GIVE S. & H. GREEN TRADING STAMPS.

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WOMEN'S WRAPPERS AT 59c
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A fortunate purchase brings these remarkable values to your notice. Wrappers that we can guarantee to be right in every particular at a saving of from 20 to 33⅓ per cent., are a very, very rare offering in this community.

25 dozen S. R. Percale Wrappers, in dark colors, blues, blacks and garnets, with a 12 inch flounce, made full, with shoulder cape trimmed with heavy braid, full lining, regular price 75c, only 59c each

20 dozen Banner Percale Wrappers, with extra deep flounce, felled seams, lining, collar and cuffs with braid, all new patterns, dark colors or light grounds, sizes from 32 to 44. The usual grade with the $1 tag, only 79c each

40 dozen Sea Island Percale Wrappers, "grand" fitting, light and dark colors, made full sizes in every way, plain with white pipings and full tucked front or the shoulder lapel style, trimmed with fine braid. Blacks, greys, whites, reds and blues. Always before $1.25 each, only 98c each

We're putting in a big show on Palmer Street. Better still, come and examine the wrappers themselves. Ready for sale this morning.

Palmer Street, Basement